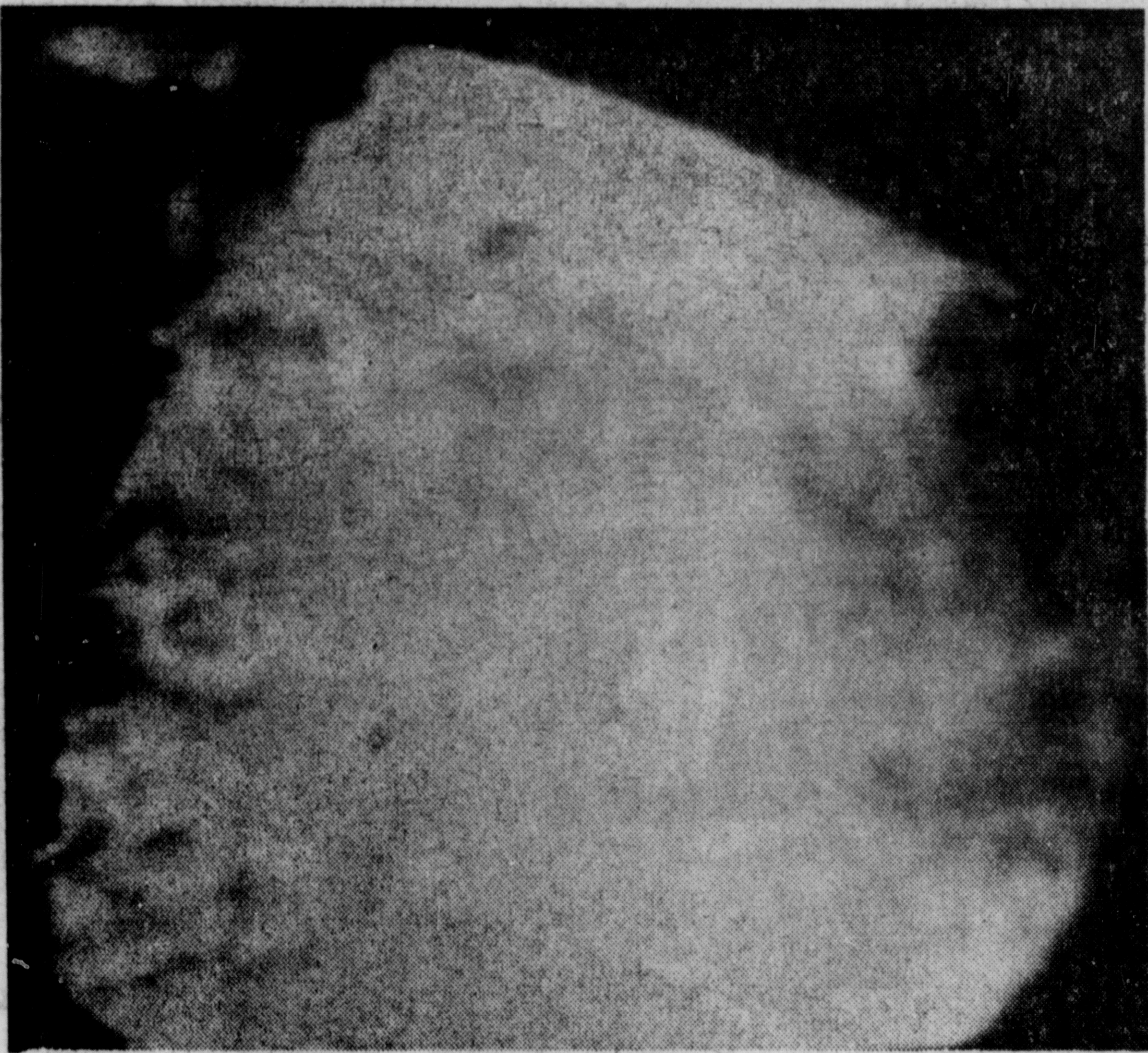


FREEMAN PHOTOGRAPHER BOB HAINES FOCUSES HIS CAMERA ON KINGSTON AND IT EMERGES IN A LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM GLOW

Merry Christmas

It's a 'Plaster of Paris Moon', Says Trio Beam Back Live TV Pictures



THE FIRST TIME—This is a picture of the moon as taken by Apollo 8 astronauts and televised back to earth. It was made through the pie-shaped window of their spacecraft during their lunar orbit. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

By HOWARD BENEDICT

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — The Apollo 8 astronauts soared into a Christmas Eve orbit around the moon today and televised fascinating pictures of a wild and wondrous landscape that enabled earthmen to share their incredible adventure.

Air Force Col. Frank Borman, Navy Capt. James A. Lovell Jr. and Air Force Maj. William A. Anders etched their names beside those of history's great explorers—Columbus, Magellan, Balboa, da Gama—at 4:59 a. m. EST today as they fired Apollo 8 into a perfect lunar orbit.

"It looks like plaster of paris, or sort of grayish beach sand," was Lovell's first impression of this alien celestial body that has awed man since his beginning.

Two and one-half hours later, the astronauts flashed the scene to home television sets with the same camera that Monday had relayed pictures of the earth from 200,000 miles away.

Excitement

The bright reflection of the sun dulled some of the features, but viewers could not help but be caught up in the excitement of seeing pictures beamed live

by three adventurers 230,000 miles from their home planet.

Earthlings were treated to a bleak, barren landscape of crater-pocked plains, boulder-strewn plateaus and rugged mountains.

It looked like a most inhospitable place, a scene of desolation more complete than any Sahara. As Anders handled the camera for the 12-minute telecast from an altitude of about 150 miles, he described the surface as "whitish-gray, like dirty beach sand with lots of footprints in it."

Naming unnamed craters after astronauts, including themselves, Anders turned lunar tour guide with such description as: "We're passing over crater Borman right now. Lovell's right next to it and Anders right next to it."

The television was beamed after Apollo 8 a tiny speck in limitless space, whirled through its second of 10 planned orbits of the moon.

Each pass takes about two hours. The spacecraft was injected initially into an orbit ranging from 69 to 193 miles above the surface.

The astronauts are to shoot themselves out of orbit at 1:06 a.m. Wednesday and start the 58-hour return to earth.

The momentous orbit insertion climaxed a 69 hour journey that started Saturday at Cape Kennedy in which the astronauts, like three wise men of the past, guided themselves toward a bright object in the heavens.

After a suspenseful 36 minutes in which the astronauts were out of contact behind the moon, where they executed the orbit maneuver, Mission Control Center excitedly announced:

"We've got it! We've got it! Apollo 8 is in lunar orbit."

After a check to make certain all systems were working, the control center asked:

"What does the old moon look like?"

Navigator Lovell replied: "The moon is essentially gray. No color. The Sea of Fertility doesn't stand out as well here as it does on earth."

"We're getting quite a bit of contrast as we approach the terminator."

The terminator is the line between darkness and light on the moon.

Good View

He added that the view was very good and that it was easy to pick out landmarks.

Charting landmarks on the surface to guide future moon-

landing astronauts is a major goal of the flight.

On the very first pass, the astronauts zeroed on a surface features intended to serve as guideposts for one of the five areas considered prime astronaut landing sites—a flat area in the Sea of Tranquility near the crater Censorinus.

"It's almost impossible to miss," Lovell reported. "Very easy to pick out. I can see very clearly the five-cratered star formation which we had on our lunar chart ... and over this mountain chain we can see the second initial point, the triangular mountain."

Named for Wife

This is the unnamed mountain which Lovell calls "Mt. Marilyn" after his wife.

As Apollo 8 sped toward the terminator, Lovell continued his vivid description:

"You can see the entire rim of the craters from here ... the white crescent on the far side where the sun is shining on it. The shadows are quite lengthy now."

As Apollo 8 passed north of the craters Colombo and Gutenberg, Anders reported "very good detail ... they're very visible."

Gazing down on a landscape

of crater-pocked plains, boulder-strewn plateaus and rugged mountains, Lovell reported on the great number of craters.

"The craters are all rounded off," he said. "There's quite a few of them. Many of them look like, especially the round ones, look like they've been hit by meteorites or projectiles of some sort. The walls of the craters are terraced, about six or seven terraces on the way down."

The historic engine ignition that propelled the astronauts into lunar orbit occurred at 4:59 a.m. EST.

They had been behind the moon for 10 minutes before firing the engine for a four-minute burst that consumed 16,000 pounds of fuel and dropped Apollo 8 into an orbit ranging from 69 to 193 miles, almost precisely the path sought.

"Keep a good eye on us," Borman advised the ground after Apollo 8, a tiny speck in limitless space emerged around the edge of the moon.

Later, they planned to circularize the path at the 69-mile altitude.

They are to circle 10 times in 20 hours above the rugged lunar terrain, photographing it and paving the way for future astronauts to land.

The Freed 82 and Casket Head for Family Reunion

SEOUL (AP) — The 82 freed crewmen of the U.S. intelligence ship Pueblo winged their way toward San Diego today for a joyful Christmas reunion with their families.

Two Air Force C141s took off with the men and a coffin after a memorial service at Seoul's Kimpo airport for Fireman Duane H. Hodges, 22, of Creswell, Ore., fatally injured when the North Koreans captured the Pueblo Jan. 23.

The planes were scheduled to arrive at San Diego's Miramar Naval Air Station at 6 p.m. EST after a refueling stop at Midway Island.

167 at Base

The Navy said at least 167 wives, children, mothers, fathers, brothers and sisters have gathered at the base. Many left their homes for San Diego in such a hurry they didn't have time to buy Christmas presents for the men.

A U.S. Army band played "California Here I Come" and

"Anchors Aweigh" as the men boarded the planes. Clad in blue Navy fatigues, they appeared rested and smiled and waved at a crowd of 200 persons seeing them off.

The Pueblo skipper, Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher, 41, was the last to board, stopping on the way to thank the band members.

The simple memorial service for Hodges was held in an open field near the planes two hours before they left. It was conducted by Lt. Cmdr. Stanton Wilson, chaplain for Navy forces in Korea, and was attended by Bucher, Adm. Edwin M. Rosenberg, in charge of the Pueblo crew's repatriation, and PO 3.C., Ralph E. Reed, 30, of Duncannon, Pa., in whose arms Hodges died.

The casket, draped in a U.S. flag, was carried from a military ambulance by eight Navy men. A platoon of sailors and Marines and about 200 American soldiers and civilians attended the service.

An eight-man honor guard fired three rounds of salute while Taps were blown.

Throughout the ceremony Bucher looked very sad, keeping his head down most of the time.

Rosenberg, who accompanied the crew on the flight, told a news conference earlier the men were in "fair to good condition." They were given preliminary

medical checkups and spent the night at the 121st Evacuation Hospital outside Seoul following their release Monday.

Premier Among Callers

Before their departure today the Pueblo men were visited by several top U.S. and South Korean officials, including Premier Chung Il-Kwon.

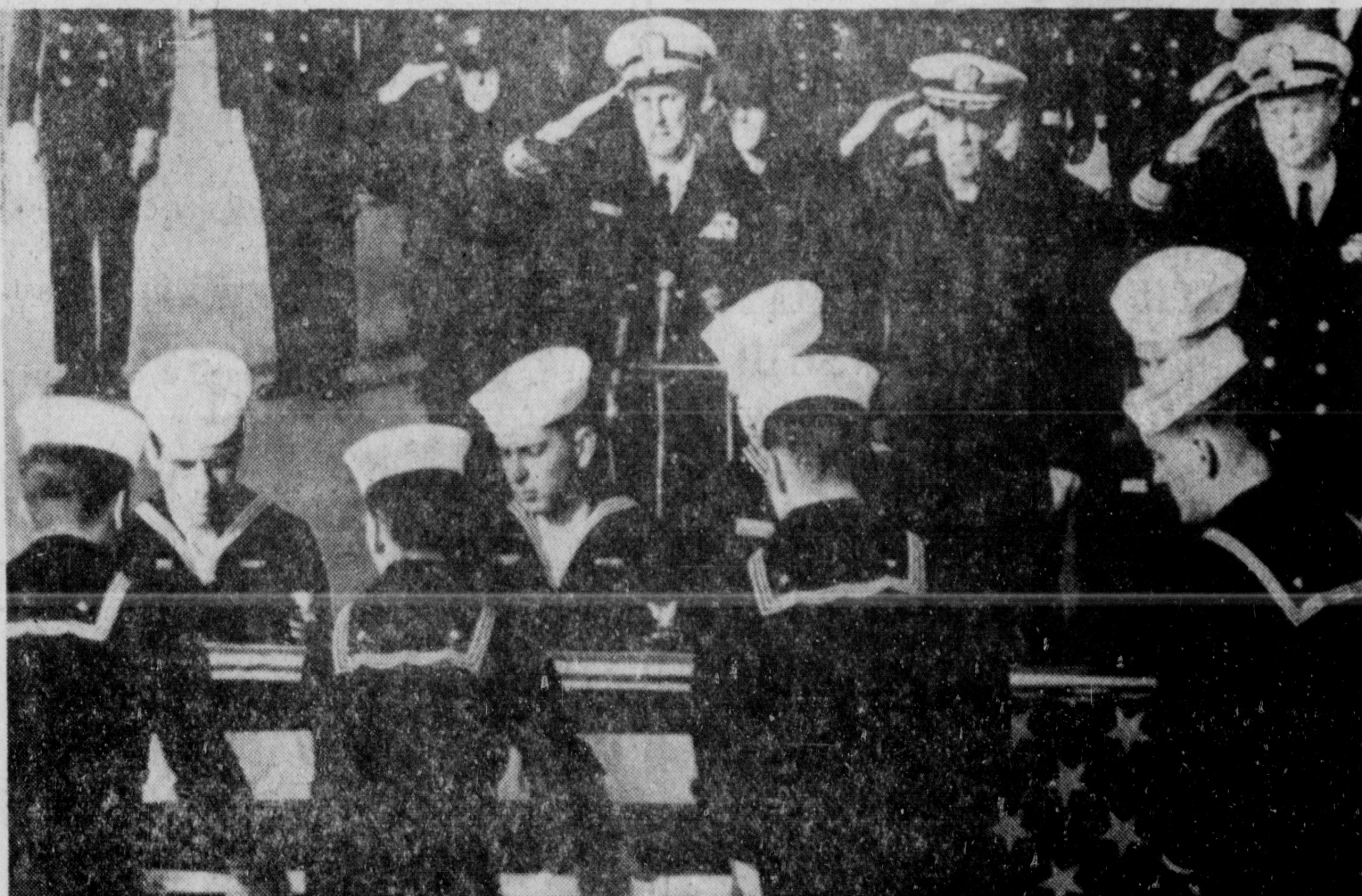
Chung, U.S. Ambassador William Porter, Philippine Ambassador Benajmin Tirona and several South Korean Cabinet ministers visited Bucher and about 15 of his men.

"We certainly felt the American support," said Lt. Edward R. Murphy Jr., 31, of Berkeley, Calif., the Pueblo's executive officer. "And we tried to do our best where we were."

South Korean newspapers today welcomed the release of the crew but criticized the United States for bowing to North Korea's terms. They said it would encourage North Korea to become more militant and probably result in increased guerrilla activity against South Korea.

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WITH HONORS—Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher, (C) the Pueblo skipper, joined the salute of two admirals in honoring Seaman Daniel Hodges, killed in the ship's

capture, during ceremony at airport at Seoul. (UPI RADIOPHOTO)



YULE VANDALISM—Among the worst acts reported this Christmastime in Marshalltown, Iowa, was the butchering of Roy Elliot's front yard evergreen. Someone cut the top five or six feet out to gain a nice bushy Christmas tree. Elliot (L) points out that the tree used to be 'way over this high.' He said he'd dig up the remnant this Spring. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

For Area Youngsters

Law Enforcement Education

An educational program on law enforcement for all youngsters of Ulster County has been instituted by Sheriff William B. Martin and his educational committee designed to improve the image of law enforcement officers.

The committee includes Undersheriff Jerome Schwartz, County Investigator Harold T. Bowers and Deputies Raymond Davis and Robert Grennie. Deputies Davis and Grennie have been trained and are accredited instructors of police training and human and public relations. Grennie was honored in 1967 by Ontario Central School System for his work with youth of the district. He was presented the Jenkins Award as the most outstanding citizen for youth.

The program includes topics for discussion and motion pictures on law enforcement practices. It has been tested with various groups throughout the county with excellent results and this has encouraged the Sheriff's Office to make it a continuing all-year program.

When the program goes into full gear, there will be presentations at school assemblies and meetings of youth groups such as Scouting, church groups, P-TA and other parents groups. The presentation of a movie is designed to improve the image of the police service in the mind of the public and to create a better and more cooperative relationship between the police and the public. The films show the wide extent and importance of police service.

Part of the program includes a demonstration of police equipment and its uses.

The committee will also attempt to coordinate the efforts of the P-TA, Scouting groups and volunteer firemen for the betterment of youth.

The Sheriff's Committee is currently studying a proposal to organize a Boy Scout Explorer Post for older boys in Scouting who are interested in law enforcement.

Deputy Davis said the leaders in the community have been very cooperative in the program and are willing to help in any way.

Another part of the program will be guided tours of the court house, jail and sheriff's office.

Sheriff Martin said the new program meets a great need in Ulster County education of youngsters on the problems and efforts of police agencies in the performance of their duties.

The films are on loan free of charge from the Municipal Police Training Council, Office of Local Government, Albany.

The Educational Committee is also functional in the in-service training of deputies, special town and village constables in the county.

Film topics on the schedule include emphasis on tremendous trust and authority vested in the police officer as enforcer of the law. Ethics and rules of conduct demanded of the officer both on and off duty will be outlined and some of the personal restrictions which the police officer accepts when he embarks on his career. There will be illustrations of some of the diverse challenges which might confront him at any time in the performance of his duty. There will also be programs on juvenile delinquency and driver education.

One of the more recent programs was one held at Tillson School for a webelos group of the Boy Scouts. The group was Cub Scout Pack 17 of Rosendale with Erich Kombat of Tillson, den leader. The film shown was Every Hour, Every Day, a movie of the police, by the police and for the public. A question and answer period followed. A second part of the program will be a tour of the

court house. A display of police equipment was explained by Deputy Davis.

Thursday at City Hall

Public Hearing Set on City Budget

By HUGH REYNOLDS

Mayor Raymond W. Garraghan will present his 1969 budget for the city to the people at a public hearing Thursday night at 7:30 in the Common Council chambers, City Hall.

Garraghan is expected to have members of his administration at the public hearing to answer questions on the budget. These usually include the treasurer, Stanley J. Petro Jr., the deputy treasurer, John Houghaling and department heads.

No Voting

There will be no voting at the Thursday night session, it is strictly an informational meeting. The voting will take place in the Common Council sometime next month. The Councilmen have all reportedly received copies of the mayor's budget.

That budget is the largest in city history—\$4,789,798—but also features a \$13.50 tax decrease per thousand dollars of assessed valuation.

This will be Garraghan's third budget. In 1967 a tax rate of \$70.53 was established. This year (1968) the tax rate jumped to \$83.66. The budget for 1969 calls for a tax rate of \$70.16, thus bringing the tax rate to within 40 cents of what it was in 1967.

The mayor has two things going for him this year in the form of increased revenues, the sales tax and sharply increased aid per capita from the state.

Higher Estimate

Sales tax revenues for fiscal '68 were estimated at \$325,000 but have already brought in \$456,000 with the last quarter

(September to December) yet to arrive. That money is expected before the end of the year. For 1969, Garraghan has estimated \$982,000 in sales tax revenues, an increase of more than \$650,000 over this year.

State aid per capita is also sharply up from fiscal 1968's \$308,693 to an estimated \$687,902 for next year. That figure

is up almost \$380,000, bringing increased revenues from those two items, the sales tax and state aid per capita, to almost a million dollars for next year. It is expected that those residents attending Thursday night's budget hearing will be given copies of the 1969 budget.

Charge Students With Burglary

WALLKILL—Two college students were arrested Monday afternoon by Highland State Police on charges of third degree burglary in connection with an investigation of burglaries at area summer homes.

BCI Investigator L. M. Luongo arrested Mark Lasouska, 18, of Walkkill, and Walter Halder, also 18, of Route 208, Town of Shawangunk. Lasouska is a student at the Rochester Institute of Technology, and Halder is a student at Ulster County Community College.

Arraigned before Shawangunk Town Justice M. J. Osca Smith, the youths were bound over for the grand jury. They were released in custody of their parents.

Butter Market

NEW YORK (AP) — USDA Butter offerings light.

Wholesale prices on bulk cartons:

Creamery, 93 score 69 3/4-170 cents; 92 score 69 1/4-69 1/2.

Cheese offerings adequate. Demand good.

Wholesale sales, American cheese:

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Egg Market

NEW YORK (AP) — USDA

Wholesale egg offerings light. Demand fair to good Monday.

Whites: Fancy large 49 1/4-51; fancy medium 47 1/4-48 1/2; fancy smalls 31-32.

Browns: Fancy large 50-51.



Holiday Greetings

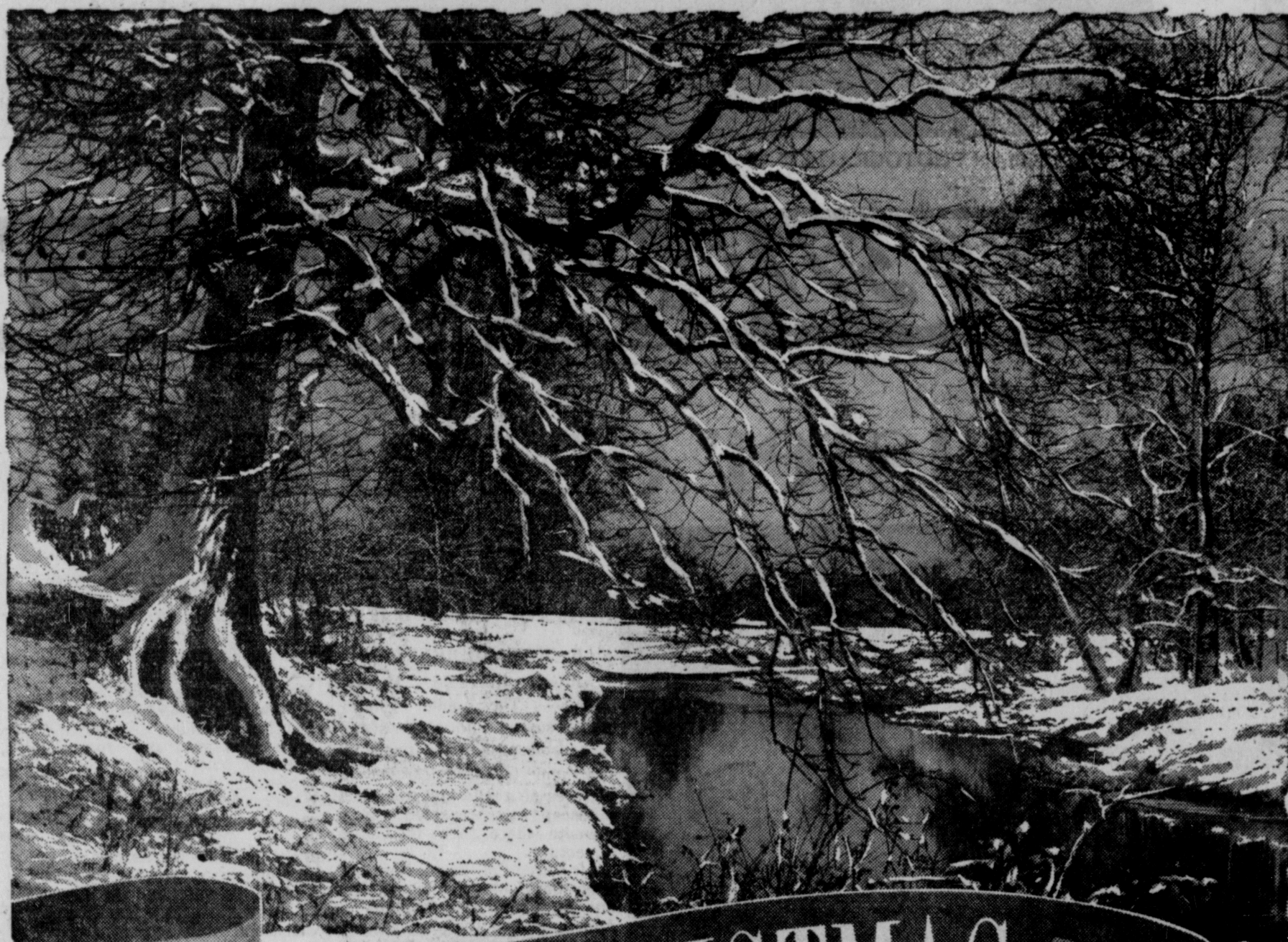
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CAREER DAY—About 75 persons turned out Monday for the second annual career opportunities conference at the Gov. Clifton Hotel. The event, sponsored by the Kingston Area Chamber of Commerce, afforded college students and returning servicemen with college backgrounds, opportunity to find out about definite job openings in the community. Left are Louis Salzmann, Kingston Schools Consolidated; Dr. Jeremiah Sachs, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Kenleigh P. Nelson, Jerry Nelson and John Warren, committee chairman. (Freeman photo by Haines)

Morse's Move Next

PORTLAND, Ore. (UPI)—The next move in Oregon's close U.S. senate race won by youthful Republican Robert Packwood is up to veteran Sen. Wayne Morse, D-Ore.

Morse said he would decide after Christmas whether to take the issue to the U.S. Senate, which has the final say on who is seated.

Packwood won the November election by 3,445 votes. A recount requested by Morse and completed last week showed the final margin to be 3,263 votes, a gain of just 182 for Morse, a 24-year veteran of the upper chamber.

But Morse's observers challenged more than 47,000 ballots during the recount to about 38,000 for Packwood's people. "My advisers point out," Morse said last Thursday, "that I clearly won a majority of the votes if these several thousand illegal ballots had not been counted. . . the recount in fact is not over until the challenged ballots are appropriately allotted to the proper candidate."

But Morse said he would not call upon the Senate to investigate the election "unless the evidence resulting from the recount satisfies me, beyond doubt that in fact I won the election."

Evacuate Families From Broadway Home

Several occupants of a 3-story 5-family house at 353 Broadway were evacuated by firemen late Monday night, after gas fumes were detected in the apartments.

Police received a call which they relayed to Central Firehouse at 11:10 p. m. reporting the gas fumes. Engine 1 and Truck 1 from Central Station and engine 3 from Cornell responded to a call and on arrival firefighters in charge of Deputy Chief Harry Sills smelled odors of gas.

The meters in the basement were closed and Central Hudson Gas and Electric Corp. was notified. A crew from that firm responded and a plumber was called. The rooms were ventilated.

Firemen reported most of the gas had seeped into first floor apartments occupied by Lena Sickler and Sandy Bonestell. The building is owned by Herbert Sussin of 138 Madison Avenue.

According to fire department

information, the trouble was traced to an accumulation of gas fumes caused by a plugged chimney and flue pipe attached to a gas heater. Tenants were allowed to return to their apartments after repairs were made.

Fire units reported back in service at 1:25 a.m.

He Slights Horses

KALISPELL, Mont. (AP)—Many people drive a car in connection with their employment.

A large number of Montanans wheel a pickup truck on the job. But there aren't too many who pilot a rowboat in the state during their working hours. And very few wear snowshoes when they're working.

But at least one man in Montana has been seen using all these means of travel on the job—Jan Tallada of Kalispell, a meter reader in the Flathead Lake area for the Pacific Power & Light Co.

No Trace of 2nd Kidnap Link

MIAMI (UPI)—The girl in the picture was lying on a blanket, about 40, got into a gun battle with police who stumbled accidentally upon the first abortive payment of \$500,000 ransom. The Miami Herald today

Another Bizarre Detail

The photograph incident was another bizarre detail to filter through an FBI screen of secrecy since Barbara Jane Mackle was yanked from an Atlanta motel room in her nightgown before dawn a week ago today.

Today Barbara is safe in a Miami Beach hospital, cheerfully looking forward to Christmas with her family at their Coral Gables home. The chief suspect in the case, Gary Steven Krist, is in jail, but a mysterious Central American woman is still a missing link.

Petite Ruth Eisemann Schier, the 26-year-old daughter of a woman dentist from Honduras, so far has escaped a widespread manhunt.

Meanwhile, reports circulated that investigators had ruled out the involvement of a third person in the abduction of the Emory University coed. Officers at first believed two

Burglar's Best Friend

WHITEHALL, Mont. (AP)—Dog is man's best friend. But Danny Hanson's dog doesn't know which man he's supposed to be a friend to.

Not too long ago, a burglar entered Hanson's ranch home six miles southeast of Whitehall and stole watches, a television set, radios, tools and tool boxes. Then he took three wheels and tires from Hanson's pickup outside the house.

And, the dog? He apparently went with the burglar!

men, one a heavy set man quoted informed sources as saying Miss Schier was believed to be the other person whom two policemen lost in a chase through a wooded section bordering Biscayne Bay after dropping a suitcase containing the ransom money. Miss Schier and Krist, whom she met while they both worked at a Miami oceanographic laboratory, "never saw each other again," the report said. While no trace of Miss Schier has been found, Krist is now in a Dade (Miami) County jail considering prosecuting him.



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ARCHBISHOP IN VIET—Archbishop Terence Cooke (L) of New York, is escorted from the VIP lounge at Saigon's Tan Son Nhat Airport Monday by Col. Gerhardt Hyatt. Cooke, following in the footsteps of his late predecessor, Cardinal Francis Spellman, is in Vietnam to visit American fighting men at Christmas. (UPI RADIOTELEPHOTO)

Allied Troops Stay on Alert

Cong Mortar Attacks Mar Cease-Fire

SAIGON (UPI)—Nearly 1.5 million U.S. and South Vietnamese troops joined Communist soldiers today in a Christmas cease fire marred at least twice by Viet Cong mortar attacks. The guerrillas began their 9-hour truce at 1 a.m. and, military spokesmen said, within three hours shelled two South Vietnamese outposts near Saigon with 70 mortar rounds. Casualties were reported light. At 6 p.m. U.S. and South

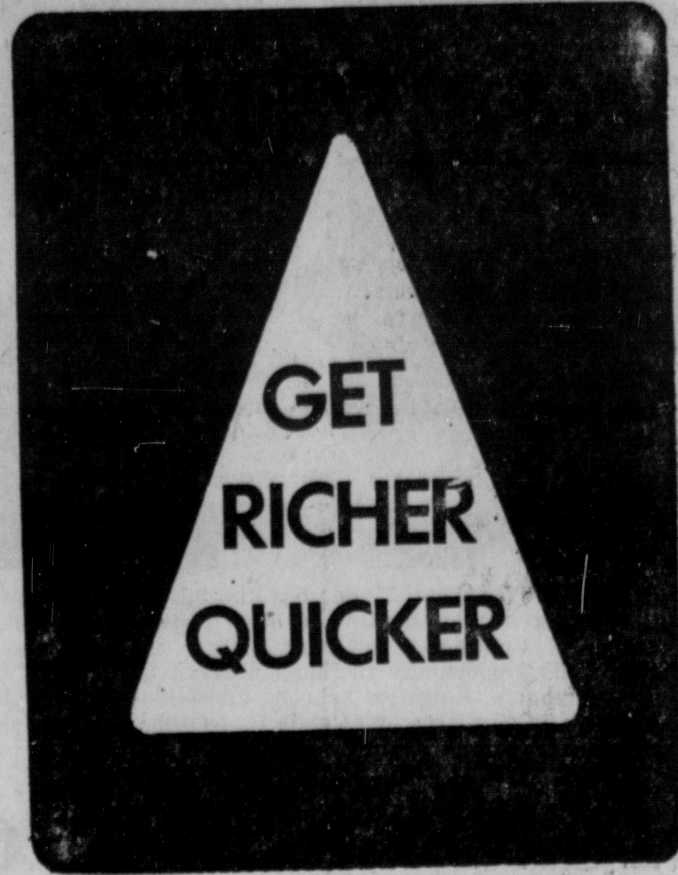
Vietnamese soldiers opened their 24-hour cease fire, mindful of past holiday truces riddled with guerrilla attacks. Many of them stayed on alert for battle. American base camps settled down for a brief respite that meant visits from the Rev. Billy Graham, Archbishop Terence Cooke or entertainer Bob Hope and his bevy of beautiful girls. "You know, I planned to spend Christmas in the States this year but I can't stand violence," Hope told 10,000 cheering servicemen in a hilltop performance at Da Nang. Five American officials completed final arrangements for their Christmas Day meeting 50 miles northwest of Saigon with the Viet Cong to arrange the release of three American GIs from Communist prisons. Officials identified the three as Spec. 4 James W. Brigham, 21, of Ocala, Fla.; Spec. 4 Thomas N. Jones, 21, of Lynnville, Ind.; and Pfc. Donald G. Smith, 21 of Akron, Pa. U.S. headquarters said it would curtail offensive operations during the final 32 hours of the guerrilla truce following the shorter allied cease fire. But it said the allies would be ready for a fight if the Reds attack. In Paris, South Vietnam underscored the impasse war talks with a statement that recognizing the Viet Cong as a separate force at the conference table was "impossible."

Da Nang Monday that ended North Vietnam, dodged two before the Communist cease surface-to-air missiles Monday. Allied losses were light. spokesmen said, and escaped U.S. reconnaissance jets fly back to their aircraft carrier ing picture-taking missions over unharmed.

Still No Room at the Inn

BETHLEHEM (UPI)—Today miles across the Judean Hills to Jerusalem. The local Israeli tourist office dusted its windows with artificial snow flakes and erected a Christmas tree, a cypress for this land has no firs. The tree stands outside the Church of the Nativity, the oldest church in Christendom still in use. It is built over the spot where Jesus was born in a manger. There is a white silk screen a story and a half high over the police station in Manger Square to show the Christmas Eve services to the overflow crowd.

Bethlehem hopes it is better, the pound—Jordan River holy water for 15 cents—in these streets, go Israeli troops with green berets. They also carry submachine guns Made in U.S.A. They appeared in Manger Square after the Arab commandos sent word they would not be responsible for the safety of Christian pilgrims. So strict was security that no Israelis were being permitted into town unless they live here. But still the pilgrims came, mainly in hopes of joining Roman Catholic Msgr. Alberto Gori of Jerusalem in a ticketed midnight mass in the place where a man will sell you—by where Jesus was born.



Yule Eve Peace in Holy Land Broken

United Press International Arab-Israeli battling today broke the peace of Christmas Eve in the Holy Land, military sources in Jerusalem reported. They said Jordanian bazooka snipers opened fire along the Jordan River and that Israel's jet fighters struck back at them.

The Jerusalem sources said the sniper nests on the east bank of the truce line river

fired at an Israeli patrol which radioed for the air support.

The jets zoomed in and struck the nests on the river bank about 15 miles south of the Sea of Galilee, the sources said.

Back home to Moscow from Cairo flew Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko after talks with Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser. Political observers said the talks likely marked a Kremlin

attempt to stave off an Egyptian-ignited new Middle East War.

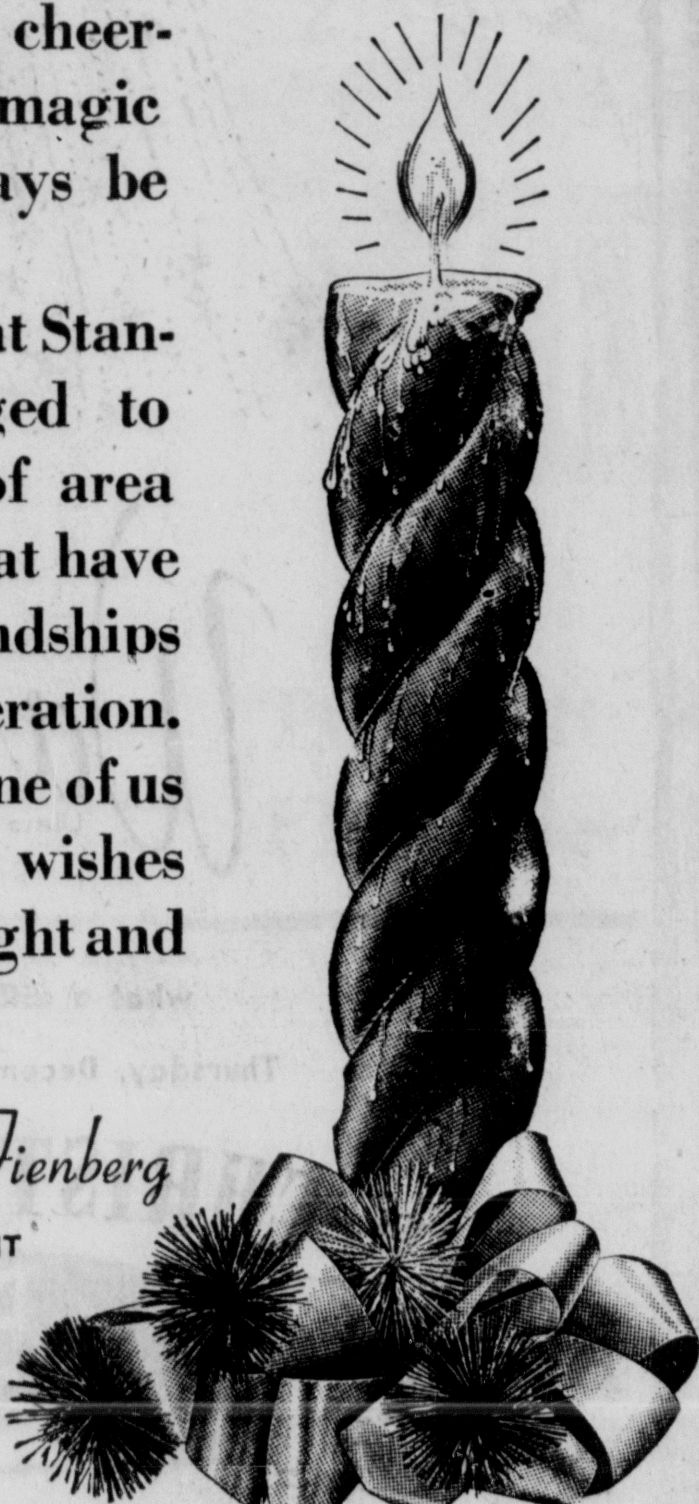
In Jerusalem, there was no immediate official announcement of the air strikes. UPI correspondent Eliav Simon reported it has become standard Israeli policy not to announce aerial strikes in support of ground troops along the cease-fire line set up after the 1967 Arab-Israeli fighting.

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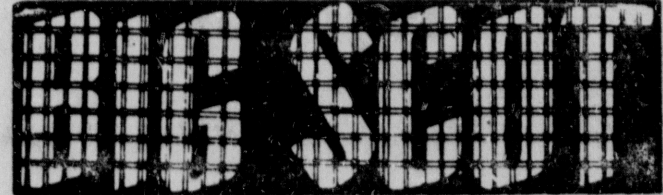
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Young Marines Will Honor Sergeant Tator on Jan. 8

Gilbert E. Gray, commanding officer of the Ulster County Young Marines has announced that a special ceremony will be held Jan. 8, 1969, to honor Master Sergeant Raymond E. Tator who will trade his six stripes for a blank sleeve as a private in the U.S. Marine Corps.

On Jan. 16 Tator will leave Kingston for Parris Island, S. C., to begin his recruit training in service, the youth enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps in September and is on deferred enlistment status.

The Young Marines unit will

honor Tator, who has been a drill sergeant since the group organized. He was promoted to the rank of master sergeant last October.

"Without the services of Ray Tator, this Young Marine Unit would never have gotten off the ground, and certain would not be in its present excellent condition without his dedication and assistance," Commander Gray said.

Gray noted that the county Young Marine unit will remain in Christmas recess until Jan. 8, and on that evening ceremonies for Master Sergeant Tator will be held at the State Armory on Manor Avenue, when the entire unit will be present. Gray has appointed

John Ray Mayone, recruit training officer, as general chairman of the ceremonies planned for Tator.

"This is particularly significant," Gray said, "because Ray Tator and Mayone have shared an extremely close relationship."

The Ulster Detachment of the Marine Corps League will be in attendance the night Tator who know Tator only as a is honored. Further details of the Tator ceremonies will be announced.

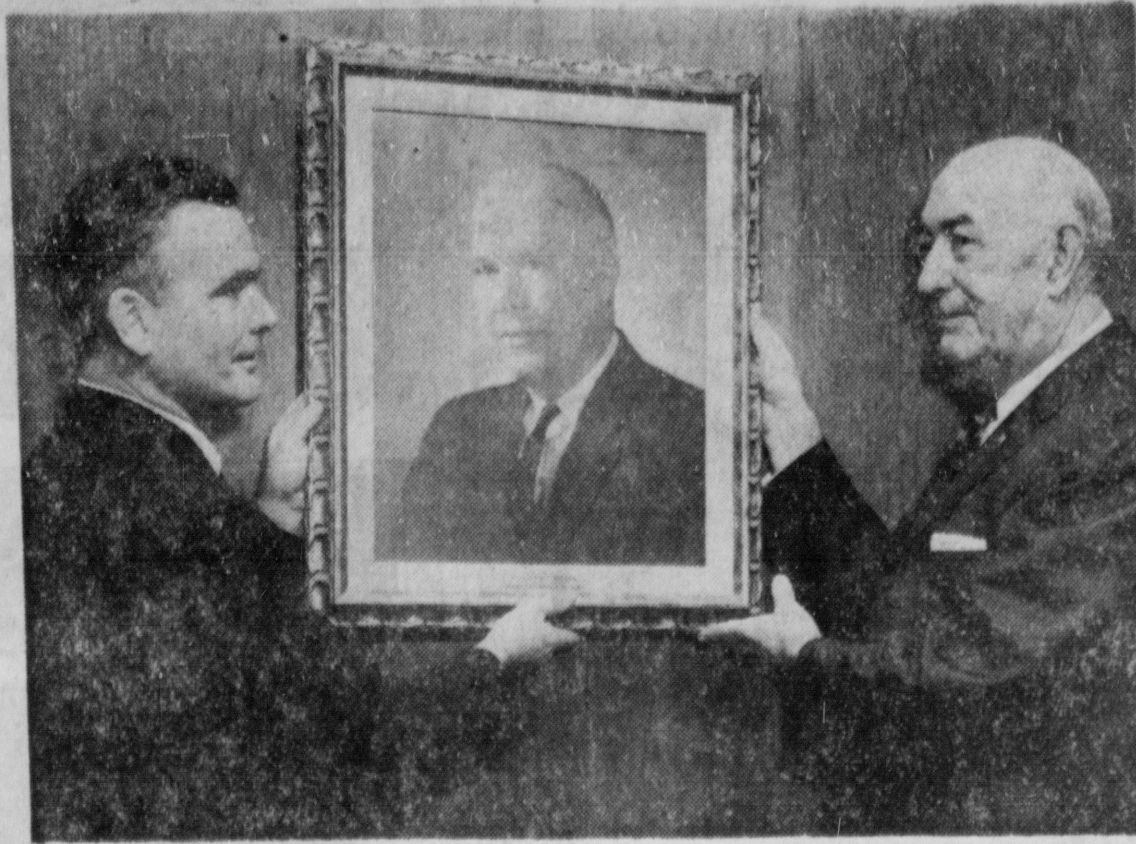
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Klein of Ulster Park. His enlistment in the Marine Corps will be for four years.

Commenting on Tator's ability and service with the Young Marines, Mayone said, "I with him God speed and the best of luck in service. There is no doubt that Tator will make an excellent Marine. I am certain that many of the young marines in attendance the night Tator who know Tator only as a is honored. Further details of the Tator ceremonies will be announced.

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Rotary Gift

Donald O. Anderson (l), principal of the M. Clifford Miller Junior High School and Louis J. Smith hang portrait of M. Clifford Miller at the school in Lake Katrine. The portrait was a gift to the school from Kingston Rotary Club of which Smith is the president. Mr. Miller, a former Rotarian, was a veteran of more than 30 years of service in the Kingston public school system, at the time of his death Nov. 14, 1964, at the age of 54. He served as principal of Kingston High School from 1955 until his appointment as assistant to the superintendent in January 1963. He also had served as principal of Myron J. Michael School for two years prior to his post at KHS. (Freeman photo by Kruh)

Holiday Caution Urged

The State Police warn that a substantial increase in criminal activity, including driving while intoxicated, can be expected during the Christmas-New Year period.

Superintendent William E. Kirwin urged the public to take extra care to protect their persons and property during the holidays.

"We know from experience that the commission of certain serious crimes, including assaults, larcenies, robberies and burglaries, usually occur in greater numbers during the holiday season," the Superintendent said.

"The public can help reduce property losses by not leaving packages exposed in an unattended car, even when locked," he noted, "and by seeing that homes are secured when unoccupied. Persons planning to spend the holidays away from home should arrange to see that newspapers or other deliveries do not accumulate on doorsteps, advertising their absence."

Kirwin said the State Police would make a maximum effort to free the highways of drunken drivers.

"Here again," he said, "the public can help by not pressing guests to overindulge in alcohol, by persuading unfit drivers to seek alternate means of transportation and by being prepared to take defensive action when observing the presence on the road of a vehicle suspected of having an intoxicated driver behind the wheel."

Yule Theme Takes Over at Schools in RV

ACCORD—The holiday season was celebrated with music, parties, song and gift-giving by students and teachers of the Rondout Valley Central Schools before closing for holidays.

The last few days of school were not confined to clean up of class assignments and previews of the holidays, but class also engaged in making the season bright for others. A class at the Accord school made gifts for the pediatric department of the Kingston Hospital.

Activities at the schools included a concert by the RVC High School Band and music by the 60-voice Chorale in the High School auditorium. Their singing was recorded by a Kingston radio station for broadcast on Christmas Day.

Glee Club activities at the Marletown School were assisted by the Middle School Band, and other singers were heard caroling down the halls of the school buildings.

The Kerhonkson students made decorations for classroom and corridor and students at the Rosendale school made candy. The Rosendale students were guests of the Marletown school to hear a concert of holiday songs and the last day of school was the day for, what else, a visit from old St. Nick himself. Santa distributed gifts to the students during his visit.

No Mail On Christmas

Kingston Post Offices will be closed on Christmas Day, according to Postmaster Oscar V. Newkirk who also said there will be no city or rural delivery service.

The Main Post Office lobby will be open that day from 6 a. m. until 2 p. m. for the use of Post Office Box patrons.

Oneto Heads Ulster GOP

Town of Ulster—The Town of Ulster Republican Club recently elected Frank Oneto as president for the 1969 term. Also elected at a recent meeting were Norman Fowler, vice-president and Shirley Wilmoth, second vice president.

A special presentation was made to outgoing President, Richard Nace.

The club will hold a special meeting at the Lake Katrine Grange Hall, Dec. 28, at 7 p. m.



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The Kingston Daily Freeman will not be published Wednesday, December 25, in observance of Christmas.

The Nativity

Christmas begins when the Archangel Gabriel appears to the maid Mary in Nazareth. Greeting her, "Hail full of grace, the Lord is with thee, blessed art thou among women" he tells her she shall conceive and bear a Son she will name Jesus. She asks how this could be since she is a virgin, and Gabriel answers, "The Holy Spirit shall come upon thee and the power of the Most High shall overshadow thee; and therefore the Holy One to be born shall be called the Son of God."

And Christmas begins when Joseph takes Mary to Bethlehem for the census and she bears the Child and wraps Him in swaddling clothes and lays Him in a manger "because there was no room for them in the inn."

The shepherds on a nearby hill were first to hear "the good news of great joy, which shall be to all people;" as the multitude of the heavenly host sang out, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men of goodwill."

Then the shepherds rushed to the inn as directed. They saw the Child wrapped in swaddling clothes laying in the manger and they knelt and worshipped, the first of millions in the 20 centuries since.

Christmas is beautifully told in John 1:14: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through Him, and without Him was made nothing that has been made. In Him was life and life was the light of men." . . . And ends with the joyous paean: "And the word was made flesh, and dwelt among us. And we saw His glory—glory as of the only-begotten of the Father—full of grace and of truth."

The Flu Epidemic

"It appears that we are at the beginning of a national epidemic, not at the peak of it," a spokesman for the National Communicable Disease Center at Atlanta said, after pneumonia-influenza deaths for one week jumped to 672, a 50 per cent rise over the seasonal norm.

Some colleges and universities closed a few days earlier than their scheduled closing for the Christmas holidays. Hospitals restricted visit to critical cases. Abnormally high absentees crept into business and industry.

Bad as things are in many parts of the nation, U.S. public health officials warned that the worst is yet to come. During last year's epidemic the nation's pneumonia-influenza death rate peaked at 1,200 a week. This year the peak is expected in mid-January.

Health officials generally blamed the outbreak on a new strain of the flu that spread around the world from Hong Kong since July. Called A/2 Hong Kong/68 flu, it has not been identified in laboratories in all cases. However, officials at the Atlanta Center believe it is the culprit around the country.

During last year's epidemic, people developed antibodies against the plain A2 strain of flu. Health officials now recommend that high-risk individuals—the aged and the chronically ill—get injections of the new vaccine developed against the Hong Kong strain. That is just plain good sense.

BERRY'S WORLD



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"Nostalgic, huh?"



---And a Merry Christmas to All!

David Lawrence Says

Pueblo Crew Imprisonment Work of Soviet Government



WASHINGTON.—The whole world is reading about the decision of the North Korean government to release the 82 members of the crew of the Pueblo, an American naval vessel. They have been imprisoned for almost a year. But the real reasons behind this act probably will not be revealed. Unquestionably, however, the Soviet government was from the outset the principal influence behind the prolonged incarceration of the Pueblo sailors and was responsible for the refusal to let them return home.

Back of it all was a vital point in the strategy of the Moscow Regime. Thus, for instance, it has been international custom for a long time to apply territorial limits only to three-mile zones on the waters bordering all countries. In recent years a movement arose to make the distance 12 miles, as this was deemed by some countries essential to the defensive operations of naval vessels.

The United States has been satisfied with a three-mile limit and has declared that any alteration of it should be by agreement. Many other countries have taken the same position. But the Soviet government has been advocating an extension of the three-mile limit. So far as the United States is concerned, the naval officers in command of the Pueblo reported that they were outside the 12-mile limit off the coast of North Korea when they were attacked.

For several months, as the negotiations to attain the release of the prisoners have proceeded, the Communists have tried to obtain an admission from the United States to the effect that the American naval vessel actually violated North Korean territorial waters. North Korea's "apology" has been repeatedly demanded. This might seem to some observers a trivial matter, and many Americans probably thought it would be more expedient to comply with such a request than to let the crew members be kept in prison.

Up to now, the United States had refused to concede anything. But there had been a feeling in Washington that sooner or later a comprehensive statement couched in the ambiguities of diplomatic parlance would be issued. It was expected that the United States would argue the case for the three-mile limit, and that at the same time regrets would be expressed that the controversy had ever arisen, because the issue could have been resolved by friendly negotiation without the seizure of any American vessel.

The North Korean government was mindful of the fact that, if anything adverse happened to the Americans, some acts of reprisal might ensue. After all, 55,000 American troops are still stationed in South Korea, and it is conceivable that an at-

tempt might have been made to go into the northern area and put military pressure on the North Koreans.

The Communist puppet government in the north, moreover—which has, incidentally, been violating the armistice line and carrying on raids and guerilla operations intermittently in the south—would never have taken any step in the whole matter without the consent of the Soviet government. The Kremlin unquestionably felt that a lengthy parley would not be disadvantageous to the Communist side, and that in the end America would yield.

It will be recalled that the Soviet government boastfully revealed in December 1950 at a meeting of a Committee of the United Nations that it had supplied military arms and ammunition to Red China for the war against South Korea. In February 1951, the United Nations General Assembly passed a resolution condemning Red China for its aggression in Korea. The Soviet action in conspiring to aid the aggressors was never denounced in any resolution by the United Nations.

It remains to be seen whether the United States now has made a statement that can be construed as a "concession" to the North Korean side. If such a "bargaining" maneuver has been used as a condition for the release of the prisoners, the rest of the world will view it as a weakness and as an act of sheer expediency.

A Conservative Cabinet? No, It's Bold Experiment

By BRUCE BISSAT

WASHINGTON (NEA) — The viewers of the Washington scene have had their say about President-elect Richard Nixon's cabinet and other appointments, and generally have pronounced them unsurprising and fundamentally conservative. They appear to have missed the innovative aspects of what he is undertaking.

There are three principal developments that must be branded experimental. First off, the naming of Prof. Henry A. Kissinger as "foreign policy adviser" has been much misunderstood. He is not intended to serve as a co-ordinator of military, diplomatic and foreign economic information in the same mold as predecessors McGeorge Bundy and Walt W. Rostow.

It can be flatly stated that Kissinger has been hired not simply to provide specific advice but to review and analyze the National Security Council and all the other co-ordinating machinery established in recent presidential regimes with an eye to determining their true current effectiveness in assisting the president.

Not only is Nixon's interest in the foreign field paramount, but it is the inescapable preoccupation of any chief executive in this troubled era. He is not taking for granted the usefulness of the existing "in-house" instruments for co-ordinating foreign policy effort.

Therefore, Kissinger's role as analyst and tester is, at least as projected now, a good deal bolder and more challenging than merely fitting him into the Bundy-

Rostow niche. Nixon evidently is prepared either to scrap or recast any part of the co-ordinating machinery which is deemed of little or no value. And, furthermore, to set up any new co-ordinating instruments which may be recommended.

Second, the choice of urbanologist Daniel P. (Pat) Moynihan to head a new urban affairs council is consciously designed by Nixon to determine whether some similar kind of institutionalized co-ordination can now be brought to the great domestic problem area—the cities wracked with racial strife, crime and campus unrest.

Very much as with Kissinger, Moynihan is seen as the inventive idea man, the proposer of new approaches, the conceiver of a co-ordinated attack upon urban problems. Ideally, from his work should emerge the outlines of the kind of machinery for aiding the President in this field which already exists in foreign affairs but needs new testing.

But here, it should be noted, Nixon need not be dependent upon Moynihan for execution of policy. Despite the stress of comment on the "conservative" tone of his cabinet, the new President can turn for action in the urban field to two committed progressives in such matters—Robert Finch, new secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, and Michigan Gov. George Romney, new secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Both men are hard-nosed doers with good credentials in the field. And Romney, off his record in industry and state

government, could serve naturally as a principal public salesman or any new co-ordination of effort in urban affairs.

The President-elect thus is prepared to undertake experiment in the two broad areas of most sweeping concern to Americans in 1968. No one can guess what the net product of all this will be, but there is boldness in the planning and it renders incorrect the reading that Nixon has just done the "safe" thing in choosing his cabinet.

His third piece of daring is in entrusting much of his major political planning to a brilliant 28-year-old lawyer, John P. Sears, who will be his chief political aide in the White House.

The easy comment is that Nixon in this instance has acted characteristically in selecting a man whom he trusts and who has been helping him in politics for 2½ years. But that impression has a deceptively "surface" quality.

It is Nixon's intent to reorganize the national Republican party machinery in a big way, to move hard to improve the party's basic image, to have a hand in the choice of candidates who will assist that process and, ultimately, to restore the GOP to majority status in the country.

Much of this huge endeavor he will entrust to Sears, who had never touched national politics until two years ago. Therein, again, lies boldness which runs counter to the broad judgment, most often deserved, of Richard Nixon as the man who just does the safe thing.



Drew Pearson Says President Johnson and Indian Woman Share Christmas Gift

WASHINGTON — President Johnson got as his Christmas present last week the house he has wanted most—one costing \$2,500. Actually an Indian woman, Ann Parker, got the house on a Florida Seminole reservation, but the President felt just as happy as if it were his.

Recently the President called a meeting of housing experts and told them: "I can buy an automobile for \$2,000 with headlights, a horn, an engine, tires, upholstery. But I can't buy a house for less than \$7,500. For that much money I can buy a Cadillac. Yet a house is the most important thing people need. I want you to go out and get busy and get me a house for \$2,500. I don't want anything elaborate. I don't have to have light switches in the wall; the house can have a cord that pulls down from the ceiling. It doesn't have to have baseboard heat or tile bathrooms. Just something a man and his wife can live in and call their own."

The experts tried, but immediately ran up against the chief factor that has delayed cheap housing in the past—building codes and organized labor. The building trade unions have insisted on tough building codes in order to prevent automated housing.

Down in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., however, Larry Vita of Surfside Floating Homes, Inc., heard about the President's speech and got in touch with Charles Dieman of the Housing and Urban Development Department. Dieman is a can-do bureaucrat. He promptly went to Florida, found out what Vita had in mind and gave him the okay to go ahead.

Once again, however, the plan for a cheap home ran up against local building codes. Dieman, however, was able to cut red tape. He suggested building a model home on the Seminole Indian reservation in West Hollywood, Fla., just north of Miami, which is a federal reservation and therefore not subject to local building codes.

FHA granted a \$2,500 loan

to Ann Parker, a Seminole woman, and last week she was presented with a two-bedroom home for the price of \$2,500. She'll pay off her FHA loan at \$26 a month. Mrs. Parker makes \$33 a week weaving baskets, and supports two older sisters and one son.

It was a nice Christmas present for her, but President Johnson considered it a better Christmas present for him.

Note: To make the present complete, Vita's friends are paying for landscaping around Mrs. Parker's home, and other friends are furnishing her house. All will be finished before Christmas day.

Assistant President

Robert Finch, the new Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, will be more than an ordinary Cabinet member in the Nixon administration. He is expected to function more as a deputy President in charge of domestic affairs.

A former administrative assistant to Richard Nixon, Finch was Nixon's first choice as a running mate but lacked the political credentials to win the nomination. He couldn't get the backing necessary to stand up against the other Republican luminaries who sought the nomination.

Finch seriously considered staying in California and building his career on his own political power base. He pulled enough votes for lieutenant governor that he would have been a logical contender for the Senate seat that the ailing Sen. George Murphy, R-Calif., is expected to vacate in 1970.

President-elect Nixon, however, wanted his former aide at his side and offered him any post in the Cabinet. In their private conversations, Nixon said he would concentrate on foreign affairs and would need someone to direct the domestic side.

They agreed this would be Finch's role in the future administration. Nixon, of course, will have a veto on domestic decisions, but Finch will have power over domestic matters second only to the President's. Indeed, this is precisely the role Nixon had

in mind for Finch if he had been able to make Finch the Vice President.

The only question that remained Finch should take. He couldn't make up his mind at first between Attorney General and Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare. In the end, he selected the latter because it put him in a better position to deal with the black community and to push welfare programs.

Finch feels strongly that the Nixon administration must establish a dialogue with black leaders and must find responsible solutions for the problems of poverty, unemployment, education and race relations.

His appointment is a sign that Nixon doesn't intend to neglect the people who may have "voted against him."

Inaugural Trouble

Washington will have an extremely tough job during the forthcoming Inaugural to prevent demonstrations and militants.

Extraordinary precautions are already underway. The city is flooded with undercover men, not only from the police and the Secret Service but from the CIA and the FBI. Crowd control aid has been sought from Philadelphia and Baltimore police for Inaugural duty.

Chief worry is over the dissident underground. Information indicates that they're eyeing as excellent bonfire material the lumber piles with which the Inaugural stands are being built. The idea now is that the grandstands might be burned down the night before the parade.

There's also some talk of the dissidents requesting officially that a section of the parade be set aside for marchers who object to Nixon's Inaugural. This might be done as a part of the regular parade in exchange for a pledge not to riot.

The entire Inauguration is in the extremely capable hands of Willard Marriott, head of the Hot Shoppes and Marriott Motels. He knows the capital like a book, but is also aware that he has plenty of headaches.



Henry J. Taylor Says No Christmas in Soviet Union

Soon we will see the full lights of Christmas and hear the biddings of "Auld Lang Syne." But unquestionably the most prolific place for holidays is Turkey.

Turkey is the national dish of Turkey—the cluckers come into prominence at this time of the year as they do here—but with their steady run for food in Turkey they're about as tough as a race horse.

There are 168 legal holidays in Istanbul. And each is sufficient to close the banks, which seem countless in this city that tumbled in Byzantine confusion and Ottoman splendor down its seven hills to the shore of the Golden Horn.

Every Friday is a Mohammedan holiday. It centered for centuries under the muzzies' beautiful, soaring, swaying summons to prayer on the six towers of what we call the Blue Mosque. The Greeks called this ancient architectural masterpiece Hagia Sofia: "Holy Wisdom." The Latins called it Santa Sophia: the Moslems, Aya Sofia. Mohammed made it a mosque in 1453; a church, then a mosque, now a museum.

Every Sunday is a Christian holiday, and Christmas is celebrated in the oldest traditions of the Cristes masse, the Mass of Christ. Every Saturday is a Jewish holiday, and with these are also Catholic, Mohammedan and Greek holidays during the week in Istanbul. No wonder Ernest Hemingway once observed that every young townsman's life ambition is to go to work in a bank.

In our country, as this

column once noted from Williamsburg, Va., that lovely spot is the American home of the Christmas tree. It wasn't made the center of our yuletide, however, until as late as 1842. Williamsburg's Rev. Charles Frederick Minnegrode, a charming Bavarian immigrant, is authoritatively credited with introducing the joyous tree at Tucker House there.

Paster Minnegrode had found that an evergreen with sparkling candles and gay decorations had been introduced in England only a year earlier by Prince Albert, Queen Victoria's consort, on the second Christmas after their marriage.

Soon the tree went to the whole Christian world what Christmas means—light and laughter, love and tenderness, sympathy and good impulses, dedicated to the well-being of all and especially to children.

There is no Christmas in the Soviet Union. Instead, last Christmas the Red leaders ran up over the Kremlin's brown spires a barrage balloon elevating an illuminated portrait of Lenin. It was lit by giant Red Army searchlights, flashing white and red and green, on Christmas night.

Incredibly, Communist radio propagandists have even gone so far as to announce that American school children are writing "floods of Christmas letters" to Lenin instead of Santa Claus. These programs claim that our school children regard Lenin as really the "living Santa Claus of mankind."

Enter Moscow's Red Square. On the high stone wall that joins the Kremlin with the Moscow Historical Museum you will notice the famous plaque that reads: "Religion is the opium of the masses." Lenin wrote it himself and put it there. It is as embedded in Communist party minds as it is in the Kremlin stone.

The Russians are not atheists. Historically, they are religious, very devout. But when the Communists seized power religion was abolished for ever party member. Accordingly, every declared or secret Communist everywhere is an atheist—or, by Communist law he could not be a party member.

The key to communism is this disciplined minority. In Russia, 14 million Communists—that's all—control 202 million non-Communists.

China is the same: 19 million Communist party members control 740 million people. And every child born in Russia in the past 51 years has been born under communism. Every man and woman there under about 61 never has known any other way of life than communism.

No Christmas, then, where Lenin on a barrage balloon is substituted for the Star of Bethlehem that sends its radiant-active magic into our souls.

So, as Christmas comes to us again, bringing its song of faith, and as the fire burns lower and the evening slips away, perhaps we repeat one of our oldest and most simple benedictions: "God bless us all, and make us worthy of Christmas Day."

Merry, merry Christmas.

Ten and Twenty Years Ago

Dec. 24, 1948 — Bogus \$10 bills were reported to be circulating through the Marlboro area.

Dominic Berardi of East Kingston was killed when a pile of clay gave way in the Brigham Brickyard and fell on him.

Dec. 24, 1958 — Fireman Joseph A. Cornelske, 53, a member of the Kingston Fire Department for 21 years, died after suffering a heart seizure at his home.

Two Kingston High School students were named among the top winners in a history contest sponsored by an Albany newspaper. They were James Sims, and Charles Pugliese, both 16.

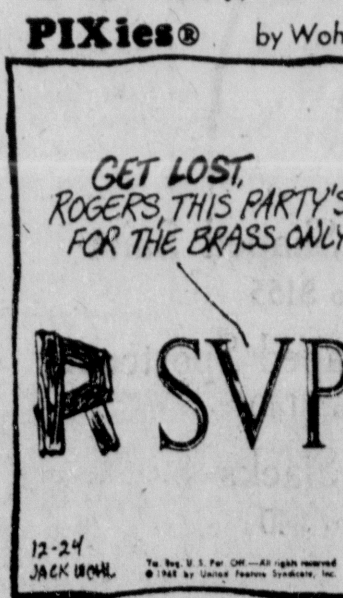
Timely Quotes

We're all ghetto individuals in some degree, in the degree that we are isolated, unknown, separated, alienated or estranged.

—James M. Woods, founder-president of the Studio Watts School in Los Angeles.

If fear could be removed from this region (the Middle East) we could convert neighborhood, which is a geographical fact, into neighborliness, which is a state of the mind and heart.

—Lester B. Pearson, former prime minister of Canada.



University Backed by Court Over Suspension of Students

NEW YORK (UPI)—The U.S. Court of Appeals upheld the right of a private university Monday to suspend students who violated guidelines governing demonstrations.

The action was brought by seven students of Alfred University in Alfred, Allegany County, who were suspended when they

Record Month For Employment In November

ALBANY, N.Y. (UPI)—M.P. Catherwood, state industrial commissioner, said Monday that total employment of 7,890,000 in November was the highest for the month on record.

The commissioner said the total represented an increase of 90,000 more than the 7.8 million reported in November of 1967 and 15,000 more than October.

Employment in New York City was reported at 4,098,800, the highest for any November on record. The figure represented a 37,500 boost over November, 1967 and 17,100 over the October figure.

Unemployment last month was 290,000, the lowest for the month on record, Catherwood said.

Fatally Injured
LITTLE FALLS, N.Y. (AP)—Werner Dornback, 56, of Rensselaer, was fatally injured Monday night in this Herkimer County town when he was struck by an automobile.

Police said the roads were "exceedingly slippery", it was snowing and windy.

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Daniel Fedden

Marine Lance Corporal Daniel T. Fedden, son of Mrs. Richard F. Williams of Ulster Park, participated in operation Meade River while serving with the First Marine Division in Vietnam.

The operation, designed to find enemy forces and destroy their capability to strike against the Danang area, was conducted in the Dodge City area, 13 miles Southwest of Danang.

Newly Created State Post Goes To Albany Man

ALBANY, N.Y. (UPI)—Governor Rockefeller Monday appointed Abe Lavine of Albany to the newly created, cabinet-level post of director of employee relations within the executive chamber.

Lavine will replace the three-member panel appointed by the governor early this year to handle bargaining with all state employees.

The new cabinet post pays \$34,675 annually.

Prior to Lavine's appointment all contract talks with state workers were handled by Dr. T. Norman Hurd, state budget director, Mrs. Ersel Posten, president of the Civil Service Commission, and Alton G. Marshall, secretary to the governor.

Lavine is currently deputy director of the division of employment in the State Department of Labor. He has been with the department since 1961 and has also served as director of field operations and administrative officer.

He has been in state service since 1947 except for a period of time in 1953 when he became director for the city of Philadelphia.

Rockefeller said Lavine "will have full authority to represent the state government in all its collective negotiations with organizations representing employees."

New Graduate At Lackland

Master Sergeant Donald L. Irwin, son of Mrs. Albert Platt, Arkville, N.Y., has completed the special U.S. Air Force recruiter course at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Sergeant Irwin, who will be an official Air Force recruiter at Batavia, N.Y., was picked for the special assignment as a volunteer with an outstanding military record.

The sergeant was trained in 11 areas of study, including the Air Force job classification system, testing procedures and community relations to broaden his qualifications for presenting the facts of Air Force career opportunities to young men and women.

Sergeant Irwin attended Grand Gorge (N.Y.) Central High School. He served during the Korean War and has completed a tour of duty in Vietnam.

His wife, Eva, is the daughter of Mrs. Sylvia Nichols, Prattville, N.Y.

The sergeant's father, Alva Irwin, resides in Shandaken, N.Y.

Warren Sarine

Major Warren Sarine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Sarine, Wawarsing, has been decorated for his support of the U.S. forces buildup in Korea that was triggered by the North Korean crisis early this year.

Major Sarine has received the U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Yokota AB, Japan, for his part in one of the largest strategic airlifts in history.

The transportation staff office was recognized for his contribution and extraordinary achievement in helping accomplish the greatly accelerated workload involved in the trans-Pacific and intra-theater airlift of U.S. personnel deployed to Korea.

The major is assigned at Yokota as a member of global Military Airlift Command.

Robert Small

Robert J. Small son of Mrs. Robert Small 12 Prince Street, Kingston has enlisted in the Air Force. He is a 1966 graduate of Charleston High School, Charleston S. C. Prior to his enlistment he was employed by the Kingston Bridge Authority. He chose the general career field and is presently undergoing six weeks of basic training at Lackland AFB Texas.

With Two Silver Stars

Elsner Returns From Viet Tour

Army Spec 4 Paul R. Elsner of Ulster Park is home on 30-day leave after an 18-month tour of duty in Vietnam.

Elsner is a unique soldier in at least two aspects according to local army recruiter Sgt. James Dixon.

"Most guys are happy to get out of Vietnam after serving the minimum requirement one

year," Dixon said. "And not too many win the Silver Star."

Elsner has two of them along with three bronze stars. Quite a record.

Elsner served his first six months in Vietnam Bravo Company, part of a mechanized division, and won the Silver Star and two Bronze Stars.

He then served for a year as team leader of a long range

reconnaissance patrol and wound up with his second Silver Star and another Bronze Star in addition to the Army Commendation Medal for Valor.

While home, Elsner has been living with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Jordan of Ulster Park.

He will report to Fort Hood, Texas upon completion of his leave for duty with the 502 Mechanized Infantry.

Two Local Men On World Cruise

Two local navy men, Seamen William Beechel of Lake Katrine and Peter J. LaGattuta of New Paltz, recently completed a world cruise together aboard the Aircraft Carrier America.

Beechel is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth G. Beechel of Lake Katrine and LaGattuta, the son of Mrs. Katherine LaGattuta of 18 North Ohioville Road, New Paltz.

The seven and one half month cruise was interrupted by a tour of duty with the United States Seventh Fleet in the Gulf of Tonkin. The America spent four 30-day combat periods conducting flight operations against enemy forces.

During these periods, planes from the 78,000-ton aircraft carrier flew daily missions disrupting supply lines from North Vietnam into the south.

Except for brief port calls at Subic Bay in the Philippines and Yokosuka, Japan, the combat operations took place from May 31 until October 29.

The homeward bound journey had the America visiting the Philippines, Australia, New Zealand and Brazil.

Joseph Straub

Joseph Straub, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Straub of Ontario Lake Park, is now undergoing Navy basic training in San Diego Calif. Straub is a 1966 graduate of Ontario High School.



DONALD IRWIN

In The Service

Allen Curtis

Sergeant Allen J. Curtis of Rt. 28, Boiceville, is on duty at Udorn Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

Sergeant Curtis, an aerial photo systems repairman, is a member of the Pacific Air Forces.

Before his arrival in Thailand, he was assigned to Westover AFB, Mass.

The sergeant is a 1965 graduate of Ontario Central High School. His wife, Elizabeth, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Standwood Pullen of R.F.D. 1, Monson, Maine.



TIME OUT—Sp/4 Paul Elsner (L) is shown with a friend while in Vietnam.

Ronald Vitarius

Ronald J. Vitarius son of Mr. chose the administrative career and Mrs. Bala Vitarius, Portfield. He is presently un-Ewen, has enlisted in the Air dergoing six weeks of basic Force. He is a 1968 graduate training, at Lackland AFB, of Kingston High School and Texas.

Season's Best

May it be a Merry one!
May it be a Happy one!

Florence and Thaddeus Musialkiewicz
Town of Ulster



YOUR NEWS QUIZ

PART I - NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL
Give yourself 10 points for each correct answer.

1. Despite warnings by some health authorities, the Hong Kong flu threat has not materialized and almost no Americans have become ill with the disease. True or False?
2. The nation's electors met in their state capitals to cast their votes for President, 301 votes going to Richard Nixon. The official count will be made January 6 by
a-the U.S. Supreme Court
b-Congress
c-the Electoral College
3. Many Americans want the present electoral vote system changed or abolished. To do this would require amending the Constitution. True or False?
4. Vice President Humphrey said that he will after he leaves office next month.
a-go into banking
b-practice law
c-teach in college
5. To settle a long-standing border dispute, a section of the River, which forms much of the boundary between the United States and Mexico, was shifted into a new channel.

PART II - WORDS IN THE NEWS

Take 4 points for each word that you can match with its correct meaning.

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| 1.....dissent | a-disagreement |
| 2.....cislunar | b-low point of lunar orbit |
| 3.....pericythion | c-high point of lunar orbit |
| 4.....disdain | d-scorn |
| 5.....apocynthion | e-relating to space between Earth and moon |

PART III - NAMES IN THE NEWS

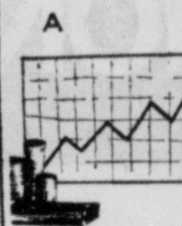
Take 6 points for names that you can correctly match with the clues.

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| 1.....Sybaris | a-U.S. capital's Mayor |
| 2.....J. Edgar Hoover | b-FBI Director |
| 3.....Daniel P. Moynihan | c-divers to strip ship torpedoed in 1915 |
| 4.....Walter Washington | d-expert on cities |
| 5.....Lusitania | e-ancient city found in Italy |
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VEC News Program

Match word clues with their corresponding pictures or symbols. 10 points for each correct answer.



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1.....
Melvin Laird, Nixon choice for Defense Secretary

2.....
astronomers hailed telescope satellite

3.....
George Romney, Nixon choice for Secretary of urban affairs

4.....
Soviet-built anti-aircraft missile

5.....
new Premier formed government here

6.....
Argentina claims this British colony

7.....
William Rogers will be Nixon Secretary of State

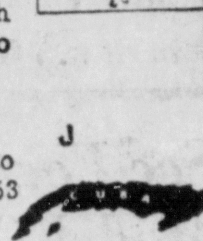
8.....
traditional end-of-year upsurge in stock prices expected

9.....
Jan. 1 will be 10th anniversary of Castro revolution's victory

10.....
jobless rate fell to lowest point since 1953



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HOW DO YOU RATE?

(Score Each Side of Quiz Separately) 71 to 80 points - Good, 91 to 100 points - TOP SCORE! 61 to 70 points - Fair, 81 to 90 points - Excellent, 60 or Under ??? - H'm!

FAMILY DISCUSSION QUESTION

Should the Electoral College be abolished?

THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGE!

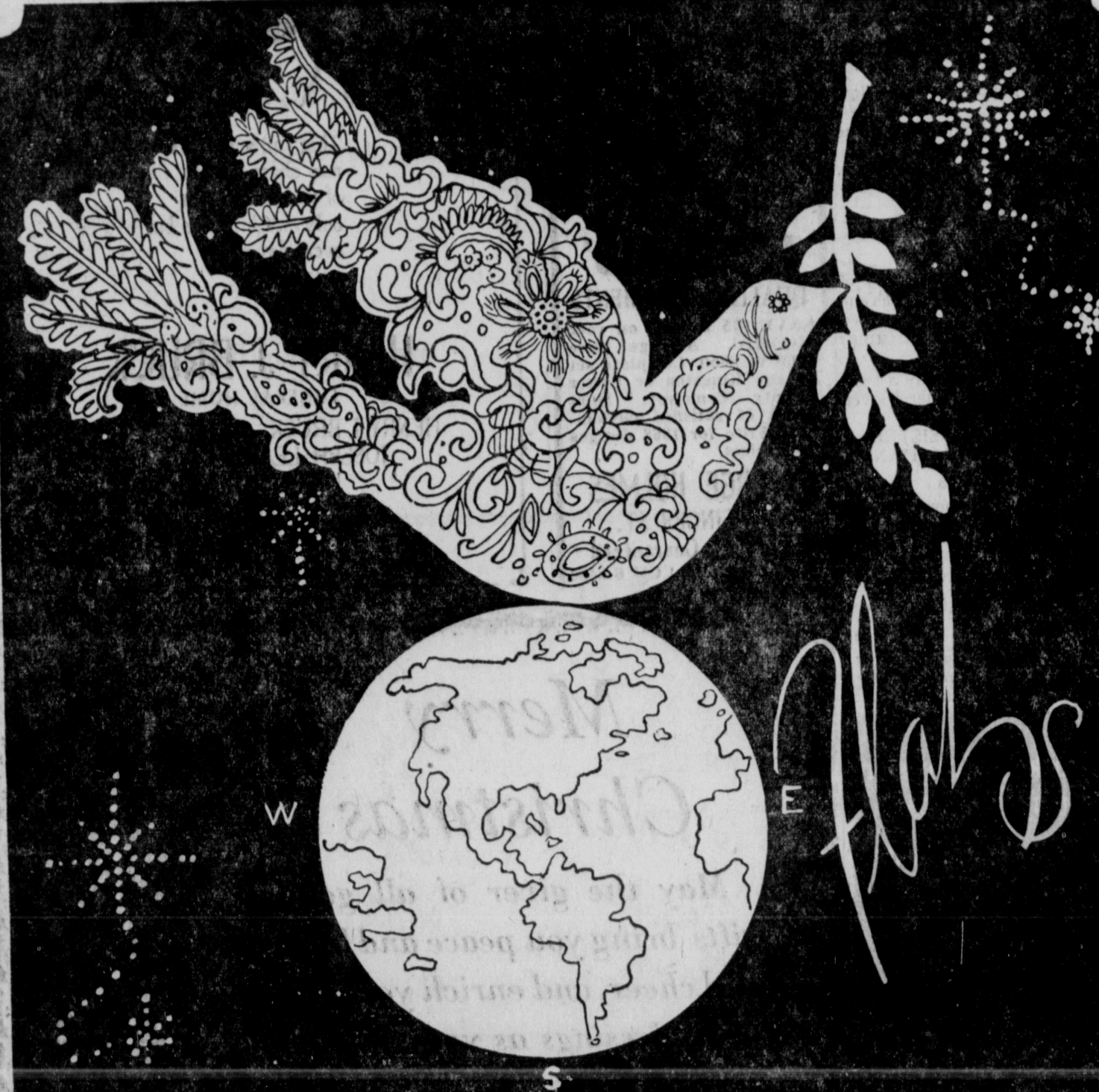
In the final count, Mr. Nixon had about . . . ? . . . more popular votes than Mr. Humphrey.

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PEACE

Pike Claims Successor Errs

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Controversial Bishop James A. Pike says his successor as head of the Diocese of San Francisco, Calif., has "absolutely no canonical authority" to ban him from the pulpit because of his recent marriage.

Pike's claim was prompted by a letter Myers mailed to all clergymen in the diocese Monday containing a "personal request" that Pike not be allowed to preach, minister the sacraments or hold any service in the diocese, which includes most of northern California.

Pike, 55, married Diane Kennedy, 30, last Friday in a Methodist Church at San Jose, Calif. The retired bishop said then that Myers had declared his second marriage "spiritually dead," allowing him to wed again.

But Myers said Monday he had not approved the marriage but instead had turned down Pike's request for permission to remarry and advised him of the reasons.

Closed New Year's

The Franklin Roosevelt Home and the Frederick Vanderbilt Mansion National Historic Sites in Hyde Park, New York, will be closed on New Year's Day, Jan. 1, 1969. The current governmental economy drive which limits both funding and personnel necessitates this closing. Both sites are normally open Wednesday through Sunday from 9 a. m. until 5:30 p. m.

Third Air Threat

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — An investigation into bomb threats aimed at American Airlines flights from Rochester to New York was intensified Monday after the third threat in as many days.



BROADCASTER DIES — Veteran broadcaster Raymond Gram Swing died in his sleep at his home in Washington Sunday. He was 81 years old. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

Arrest Suspect, Charge Burglary

Kingston detectives made a fifth arrest Monday afternoon in connection with investigations by the department of recent burglaries in the city.

Det. Lieut. Lemuel Howard said John Scully, 29, of 72 Garden Street, was arrested on a warrant charging third degree burglary. He said Scully is accused of burglarizing the Kingston Coal Company office, 11 Thomas Street, on Nov. 24.

Scully was arraigned before City Judge Hubert A. Richter this morning. Hearing was adjourned until Thursday, Dec. 26.

The sea battle between the Constitution and the Guerriere lasted between 30 and 40 minutes.

Local Death Record

Melvin James Fuller

Melvin James Fuller, 78, of Fleischmanns, died Monday morning at the Orthmann Sanitarium in Kingston. Born March 2, 1890 in Fleischmanns, he was the son of James and Alice Redmond Fuller. He was associated with the First National Bank of Fleischmanns, where he began as a teller and advancing to cashier, a position from which he retired in 1953. He was a member of the Fleischmanns School Board for a number of years and was a registrar for the Village of Fleischmanns for several years. He was married to the late Florence Scudder, who died in 1963 and was the brother of the late Herman Fuller. He is survived by a son, John of Stratford, Conn., and another son, James of Fleischmanns. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 1 p. m. in the Fleischmanns Methodist Church with the Rev. William Peckham and the Rev. Irving Terwilliger officiating. Burial will be in the Cloveville Cemetery. Friends may call at the E. B. Gormley Funeral Home, Phoenix, any time today and from 7 to 9 p. m. tomorrow.

Mrs. Margaret H. Schott

Mrs. Margaret H. Schott, widow of George Schott and a former resident of Lake Katrine, died in New York City Monday. A high Mass of requiem will be offered at St. Joseph's Church Friday at 10 a. m. Friends may call at the A. Carr and Son Funeral Home, 1 Pearl Street, from 7 to 9 p. m. on Thursday. Burial arrangements were not announced.

Mrs. Elizabeth Swart

Mrs. Elizabeth Swart of 10 Division Street, Saugerties, died Monday after a long illness. She was the widow of Clayton A. Swart. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Michael (Evelyn) Greco of Saugerties; a sister, Miss Agatha McCarthy of Rensselaer and two grandchildren. She lived the greater part of her life in Saugerties where she was a member of St. Mary of the Snow Church. The funeral will be held Thursday at 9:30 a. m. from the M. A. Galletta Funeral Home, 25 Ulster Avenue, Saugerties, thence to St. Mary's Church where at 10 a. m. a high Mass of requiem will be offered. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Barclay Heights. Friends may call at the funeral home today and tomorrow from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Barr to Serve Until Kennedy Assumes Post

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Joseph W. Barr, undersecretary of the treasury since 1965, will serve as secretary until David M. Kennedy takes over for the Nixon administration Jan. 20.

President Johnson announced Monday he had chosen Barr to replace Henry H. Fowler, whose resignation from the treasury post was effective Friday.

Harassment Charge

GARDINER — Accused of making annoying telephone calls to a woman resident, William Franz, 41, of this community, was arrested Monday by Highland state police. The complaint was made by Elaine Stutzman, a local resident. Arraigned before Town Justice Samuel Stokes on a charge of aggravated harassment, Franz was released pending a hearing on Jan. 10, 1969.

DIED

Memorial

In loving remembrance of Mom and Dad, Cora and Harry Brandt on Christmas Day. In our hearts, your memory lingers. Sweetly tender, fond and true. There is not a day, dear parents. That we do not think of you.

LOVE, CHILDREN and GRANDCHILDREN

Memorial

In Loving Memory of our grandmother, Ida Geuss at Christmas Time. She had a nature you could not help loving. And a heart that was purer than gold. And to those who knew her and loved her. Her memory will never grow cold.

GRANDCHILDREN

DIED

COMPITELLO — Robert J. of RD #2, Saugerties, on Dec. 22, 1968. Beloved husband of Lillian Compitello.

Funeral services to which relatives and friends are invited will be held from the Hartley & Lamouree Inc. Funeral Home, Saugerties, N. Y. on Friday at 9:30 a. m. and thence to St. John's Church, Veteran, where a Mass of requiem will be offered at 10 a. m. Burial in St. John's Cemetery, Queens, N. Y. Friends may call at the funeral home on Tuesday 7 to 9 p. m. Wednesday and Thursday 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Attention officers and members of Saugerties Council Knights of Columbus No. 4536. You are requested to meet at the Hartley & Lamouree, Inc. Funeral Home, Saugerties, Thursday evening at 8 p. m. to pay our respects to our departed brother Robert J. Compitello.

KARL PIETKIEWICZ

Grand Knight

DIBLASI — Frances of 38 Tammany Street on Dec. 23, 1968. Wife of the late Nicasio DiBlasi, mother of Joseph, John and Raoul; sister of Benedict Salerno. Mrs. Amelia Giacalone, Mrs. Melina Mule. A grandson Guy DiBlasi and five other grandchildren, two great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive.

Reposing at the Frank H. Simpson Funeral Home, 411 Albany Ave. Funeral will be held on Friday, Dec. 27, at 9:15 a. m. thence to St. Peter's Church, where at 10 a. m. a high Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of her soul. Burial will be in St. Peter's Cemetery. Friends may call on Tuesday, 7 to 9 p. m., Wednesday and Thursday 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

ELSTON — In this city, December 23, 1968. Gilbert H. Elston, of 225 Manor Avenue. Son of Walter T. Elston and brother of Walter T. Jr., of St. Mary's, Penn., Miss Dorothy M. Elston, and Mrs. Andrew T. Gilday of Kingston. Several nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services will be held at the A. Carr & Son Funeral Home, 1 Pearl Street, on Friday at 1 p. m. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery. Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. on Thursday.

Memorial

In Loving Memory of my wife and our mother, Ida Geuss at Christmas Time. Her helping hand was always first. To render any aid she could; Her voice was always raised in praise. Her words were wise and good. Dear Mother, since you've gone away. The ones you loved so true. Try hard to carry on the way. We know you'd want us to.

HUSBAND & CHILDREN

Memorial

A Christmas memory for dear Mother and Nana, Sophie M. Clayton and her first Christmas away. Time may heal the broken heart. Time may make the wound less sore. But time can never stop the longing. For the loved one gone before.

LOVE, DAUGHTER & GRANDDAUGHTER

Memorial

In sad and loving memory of my Dear Brother, Frank Szekeres, whom God called home 11 years ago on Christmas Day, December 25, 1957. Many a heartache, many a tear. Always sad, of a brother I loved so dear.

LOVING SISTER, THERESA TIANO

Memorial

A Christmas memory for our dear parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rapp. Deep in our hearts, your memories are kept. To love and to cherish and never forget.

Daughter, MARY BERRYANN and RAPP FAMILY

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LEONARD — James A. (Red) of 30 New Street, Dec. 22, 1968. Beloved husband of Margaret Jordan Leonard. Brother of Mrs. Philip Maurer of Ten Eyck, N. J., and Miss Kathryn Leonard, of Stone Ridge, N. Y. Also surviving are several nieces and nephews.

Funeral will be held from the Halloran Funeral Home, 261 Broadway, Thursday at 9:30 a. m. Thence to St. Mary's Church, where a high Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul at 10 a. m. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery. Friends may call Monday evening from 7 to 9 p. m. and Tuesday and Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Attention officers and members of Kingston Council No. 275, Knights of Columbus

You are requested to assemble at the Halloran Funeral Home, 261 Broadway, this evening at 7:30 p. m. to recite the Rosary for our departed brother James A. Leonard.

CHARLES A. RYAN
Grand Knight
RUSSELL BROTT
Financial Secretary

SALEMMO — Ethel H., of Neighborhood Road, Lake Katrine, on Dec. 23, 1968, wife of the late Frank Salemmo; aunt of Mrs. Richard (Hazel) Hessdorfer and three nieces and two nephews also survive.

Reposing at the Frank H. Simpson Funeral Home, 411 Albany Avenue. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, Dec. 26, 1968 at 11 a. m. Burial will be in Wiltwyck Cemetery. Friends may call on Tuesday from 7 to 9 p. m.

SCHOTT — In New York City, Dec. 23, 1968, Margaret H. Englehart, wife of the late George Schott.

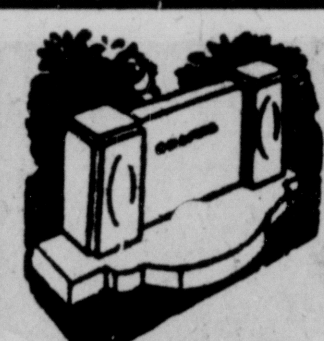
A high Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of her soul on Friday at 10 a. m. at St. Joseph's Church, Kingston. Friends may call at the A. Carr & Son Funeral Home, 1 Pearl Street from 7 to 9 p. m. on Thursday.

SWART — Elizabeth, of 10 Division Street, Saugerties, died on December 23, 1968. Wife of the late Clayton A. Swart; mother of Mrs. Michael (Evelyn) Greco of Saugerties; sister of Miss Agatha McCarthy of Rensselaer. 2 grandchildren also survive.

Funeral will be held from the M. A. Galletta Funeral Home, 25 Ulster Avenue, Saugerties, on Thursday, Dec. 26, 1968 at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Mary of the Snow Church at 10 a. m. where a requiem high Mass will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, Barclay Heights. Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday and Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

THOMANN — Dec. 24, 1968. Albert W. Thomann, of LeFever Falls Road, Maple Hill.

Funeral arrangements to be announced by the George J. Moylan Funeral Home, Main Street, Rosendale.



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TODAY'S THOUGHT

By JIM GILPATRICK

A THOUGHT FOR CHRISTMAS

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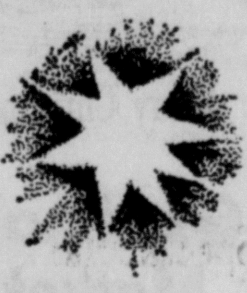
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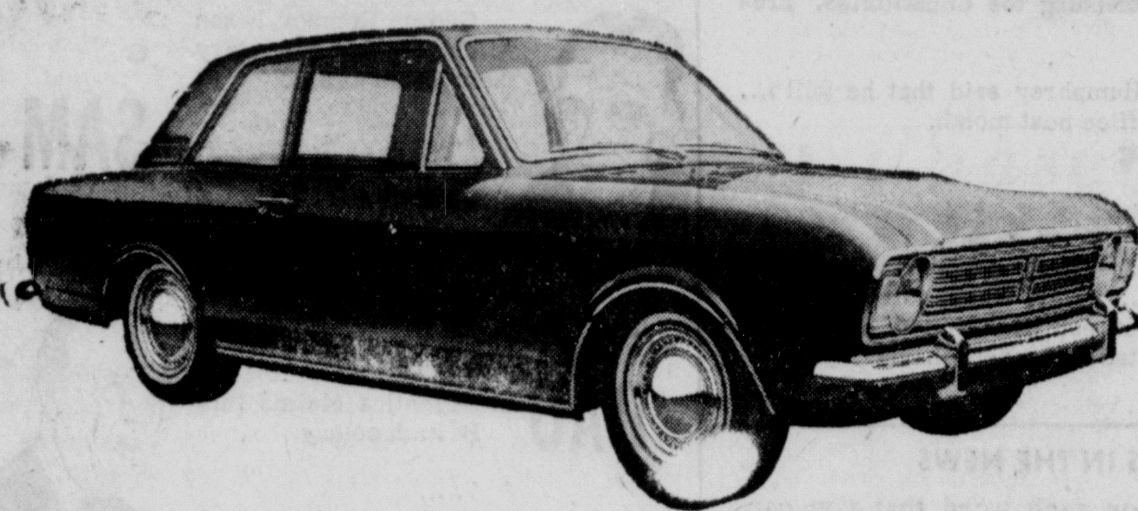
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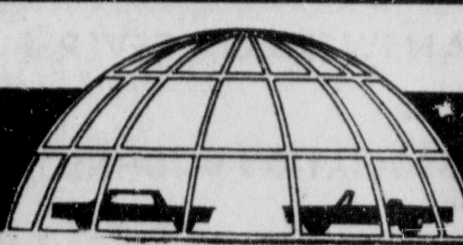
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Reg. \$14	
Long Leg Girdle	11 ⁵⁰
Reg. \$15	

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Bra Style 4063, A 32-36, B & C 32-38, White and Lemon White.	3 ⁴⁹
Reg. 4.50	
Style 1935, A 32-36, B 32-38, C 32-38 in White and Golden Haze.	3 ⁹⁹
Reg. \$5	
Panty Girdle, Sizes S, M, L, White, Golden Haze and Lemon White.	
Reg. \$8	5 ⁹⁹
Reg. \$9	6 ⁹⁹

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Zipper Girdle Style 932, Sizes 27-32, Reg. 16.50	11 ⁹⁹
Zipper Girdle Style 933, Sizes 27-34, Reg. 16.50	11 ⁹⁹
Bra, sizes A B & C 32-36, Reg. \$5	3 ⁹⁹
Panty Girdle, S, M, L, Reg. \$10	7 ⁹⁹

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Corsette Style 1015, B & C cups, 34-40B, Reg. \$20	15 ⁹⁹
36-42C, Reg. \$20	15 ⁹⁹
Panty Girdle, Style 9680, 27-34, Reg. 15.50	11 ⁹⁹
Zipper Girdle, Style 3521, 28-34, Reg. 18.50	14 ⁴⁹
Zipper Girdle, Style 8136, 27-34, Reg. \$14	10 ⁹⁹

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OCTOGENARIAN—Hamilton Fish Sr., being kissed by his grandson, Peter, left and Nicholas, is pictured at a family celebration of his 80th birthday this month. With the former congressman and father of Congressman-elect Hamilton Fish Jr., are left, Mrs. Fish Sr., Fish Jr. and Mrs. Hamilton Fish Jr.

More Snow Expected In Western Counties

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Travelers' warnings for all western New York counties — except the southern Finger Lakes — were continued today, with a heavy snow warning up for scattered sections of the snow belt south of Lake Ontario along the Pennsylvania border. At least six inches of new snow were expected to fall in portions of those counties by tonight, before partial clearing and a lessening of the 30- to 45-mile-an-hour gusts that Monday cut visibility on many highways in the west to near-zero. At least five persons have died as a result of the storm conditions that began Sunday with freezing rain, snow, sleet, snow squalls and high winds. A man and his wife were killed in a traffic accident Monday in the town of Arcade in Wyoming County, its roads hit by a half foot of snow on top of an icy layer.

In the central New York town of Little Falls, a pedestrian was fatally injured when struck by an automobile police said was going only 10 miles an hour — but over "exceedingly slippery" streets during a snowfall accompanied by winds. Some flights were delayed Monday at some upstate airports until visibility improved. A heavy snow storm before dawn today in the Finger Lakes region left a heavy accumulation of snow and high drifts. State Police reported that main roads were open but there were icy spots. In central New York, the slush left from Sunday and early Monday turned icy overnight as temperatures dipped. Snow flurries were reported in the northern sections. Windy conditions prevailed. Much colder weather was predicted for tonight — Christmas Eve — as a high pressure system

moves eastward from the Midwest to dominate the Empire State's weather for Christmas Day: sunny skies and continued cold. Occasional snow flurries were expected across the state today, with snow squalls forecast near the Great Lakes. The Weather Bureau in Buffalo — in a special pre-dawn statement continuing the snow and travelers' warnings — said traces to two inches of fresh snow were expected today out-

side the snow belt area in western New York. In the heavy snow areas, however, winds gusting to 40 miles an hour would cause blowing, drifting snow and near-zero visibilities at times on roads throughout most of the counties, the statement said. Early morning temperatures ranged from Massena's 15 degrees to New York City's 29. Snow was reported from Massena, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Utica and Elmira.

Area Events Scheduled

Notices of meetings, suppers and other events to be listed in this column should be sent to the City Editor, Kingston Daily Freeman as far in advance as possible.

- Today**
Tuesday, Dec. 24
7:30 p.m.—Community service of Holy Communion, Shokan Reformed Church. Public invited.
11 p.m.—Traditional candlelight service, St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, West Camp.
Wednesday, Dec. 25
Merry Christmas
Thursday, Dec. 26
12 noon — Kingston Kiwanis Club, Gov. Clinton Hotel.
12:15 p.m. — Highland-New Paltz Rotary Club, Hudson Overlook, West Park.
6:30 p.m. — Phoenicia Rotary Club, Al's Restaurant, Phoenicia.
6:45 p.m. — Rondout Valley Lions Club, SRS Resort, Cottekill.
7:30 p.m. — Colonial Chapter, Order of DeMolay, Masonic Temple, 31 Albany Avenue.
Duplicate Bridge Club, Jewish Community Center, Maiden Lane.
Weight Watchers, Saugerties VFW Hall.
Recovery Inc., Old Dutch Church, Fair Street entrance.
8 p.m. — Town of Esopus Businessmen's Association, Port Ewen Fire Hall.
Hurley Grange, Hurley Fire Hall.
Town of Ulster Republican Club, Lake Katrine Grange Hall.
CYO Teen Federation, St. Peter's School Hall, Rosendale.



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We sincerely hope you will be blessed by a wonderful holiday season.

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Weinstein Proposes Caucus To Select Minority Leader

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Acting Assembly Speaker Moses M. Weinstein proposed Monday that Democratic assemblymen meet in caucus to choose the next minority leader of the State Assembly.
The Queens lawmaker said he would move at a meeting of the Democratic assemblymen on Jan. 7, a day before the legislature opens, that the gathering be considered a caucus—that is, that the vote of the majority of the members be binding on the rest. Weinstein said he would abide by that decision.
Weinstein made the proposal in a telegram to Assemblyman Stanley Steingut, the Democratic leader from Brooklyn who is his chief rival for the minority leadership post.
Steingut could not be reached for comment late Monday night. The offer was made, Weinstein said, in order to "prevent continued deterioration and destruction of the Democratic party by further feuding and factionalism." Weinstein had said previously he would battle for the job on the floor of the Assembly if necessary.

The Republicans will have a 78-62 edge over the Democrats in the next Assembly session and Perry B. Duryea of Mon-

tauk, the current GOP minority leader, is assured of election as speaker. The procedure is for Demo-

crats to nominate at least one rival candidate for the speaker's job. The runnerup in the contest becomes minority leader.

Weinstein also sent a copy of his telegram to Democratic State Chairman John J. Burns, saying he hoped Burns would join "in this suggestion for parity unity." Burns also could not be reached for comment Monday night, but he has expressed previously a desire the Assembly Democrats work out their own procedure for choosing a leader.

Harkin on Coffee House — Adults Can Bridge the Gap

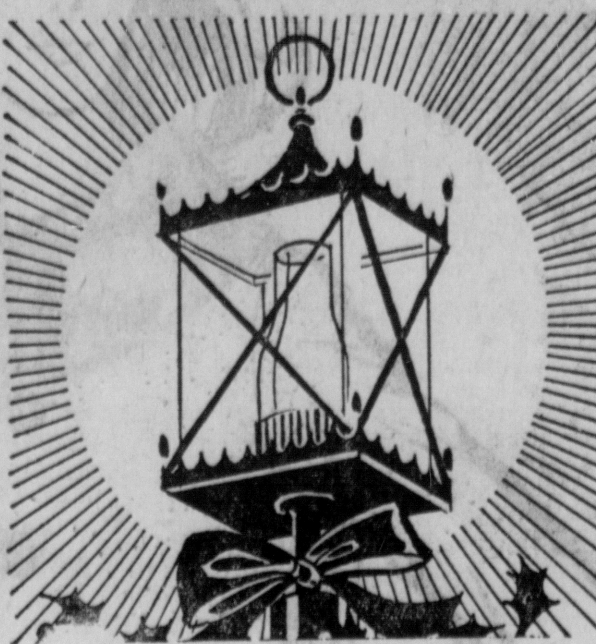
ELLENVILLE — Wawarsing Supervisor Frank W. Harkin called the Thirsty Ear coffee house a place where adults "can bridge the gap between the generations."
The coffee house, which is open every Friday and Saturday night at the Canal Street Town Hall, is sponsored by the Town

Board under its youth committee.
Supervisor Harkin stated that the shop provides youth with "a place of their own, where they can dig deeply into the issues and concerns of the day, where they can entertain and be entertained, where they can meet other boys and girls in an inexpensive approved setting."

Penn Railroad Will Seek Delay In Line Merger

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — The Penn Central Railroad indicated in U.S. District Court Monday it would seek a delay past Jan. 1 of its ordered merger with the bankrupt New Haven line until the price is made definite.
Roswell Perkins, the chief lawyer for the merged Penn Central system, said he would seek a stay order Tuesday from a three-judge federal appeals panel in New York City. He maintained the Penn Central should not be required to accept the long-ailing New Haven until the price is approved by the courts.

U.S. District Judge Robert P. Anderson said Friday, when he affirmed the Interstate Commerce commission's inclusion order, that any delay now "would have a devastating effect on the public."
"I feel there is no valid reason for holding up inclusion of the New Haven pending ultimate determination of price," Anderson said.
The ICC has stipulated a sale price of \$145.6 million for the New Haven line. Holders of New Haven bonds, however, have claimed the price is too low. They conceded to Judge Anderson on Friday there was no need to delay the long-awaited merger past Jan. 1, indicating they would be willing to settle the price issue after the Penn Central takes over the line.
Penn Central's general counsel, Ulrich Schweitzer, said he expected the three-judge panel would act on the appeal from the ICC order before Jan. 1.



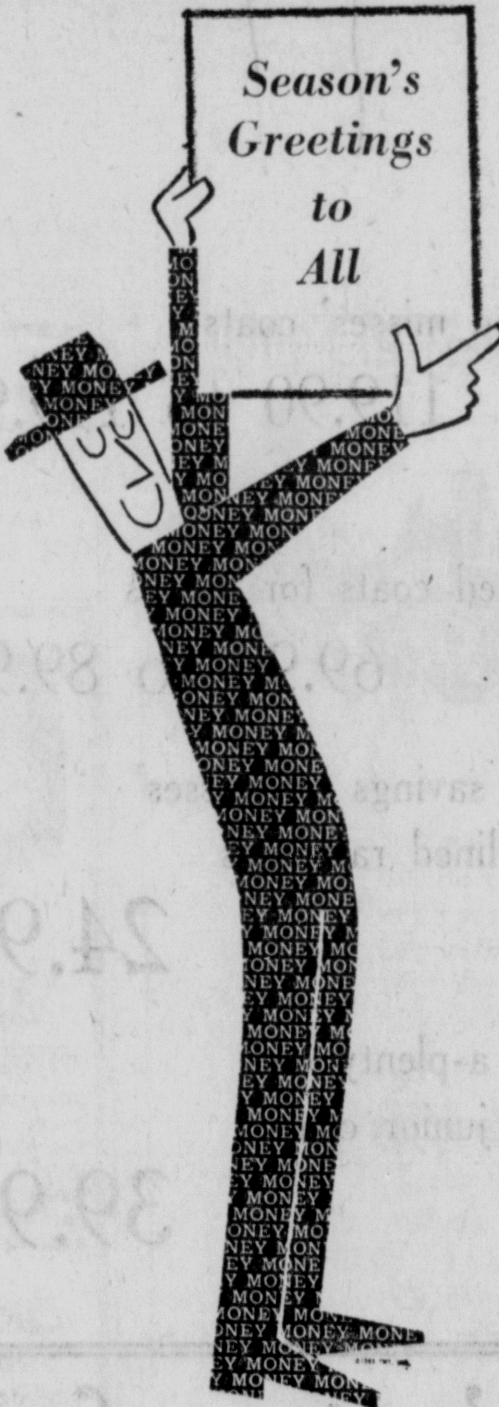
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Interplanetary Billiards Logic

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Scientists hope to reduce unmanned space travel time by playing interplanetary billiards. Dr. Gary Flando, assistant professor of mechanical engineering at the University of Utah, is using a \$25,000 federal grant to simulate through computers a space flight of four billion miles. Scientists at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in California also are working on the technique.

Flando says modern rockets cannot power such a flight by themselves. Something else is needed to reach such distant planets as Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune or Pluto. Using Saturn 5, the biggest U.S. rocket, Flando says it would take more than six years to reach Saturn, 16 to get to Uranus, more than 30 to reach Neptune and 45 to reach Pluto. "A generation would pass away before the spacecraft reached Neptune," he said. "And more than likely, the vehicle would become obsolete in flight."

Designing bigger and better

rockets would be impractical, he said. "We would need rockets and boosters bigger than the Empire State Building to send a payload of any size to Saturn alone."

Flando says interplanetary billiards is the answer—that it could cut the travel time to distant planets by 50 to 80 per cent. This is the idea: The spacecraft would be launched with ordinary rockets toward Jupiter, which has a gravitational pull 1,000 times greater than earth. Once the rockets were out, engines which use energy from the sun would speed the spacecraft along. The pull of Jupiter would greatly accelerate the speed.

But the spacecraft would not crash into Jupiter. Because of

the carefully plotted trajectory, speed and angle of flight, it would instead veer off toward Saturn. As it neared Saturn, it would veer toward Uranus, from Uranus to Neptune and so on. The gravitational pull of the planets would provide a continuous source of energy.

The idea of bouncing from planet to planet is where the "billiards" effect comes in. Flando says the first unmanned vehicles using this technique could have a payload of about a ton. He says a rocket launched in October of 1977 could tour the outer planets in about seven years.

But a great deal of work on the drawing boards remains to be done.

"First," says Flando, "we

must let the computers fly the spacecraft for us." Much research also is needed on sun-powered engines. The work is aimed at the late 1970s because, Flando says, the planets will be in an ideal arrangement for such a flight between 1976 and 1978. He says a similar planetary arrangement will not happen again for another 175 years.

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Parents Visit to the School Night Slated at New Paltz High Jan. 13th

NEW PALTZ — The Parents Teachers Association of New Paltz High School is sponsoring a Parents Visit The School Night on Jan. 13 beginning at 8 p.m.

Parents will be able to follow their children's schedule through a typical day.

Class sessions will last 10 minutes, giving the faculty an opportunity to explain to parents their goals for the year. In other activity in the New Paltz Central School District, students of the high school ushered in the holiday season last week by decorating their new school.

The Student Council, with the assistance of Maryann Penzato, purchased a Christmas tree and placed it in the front hall where it could be seen by both the student body and passerby. The tree, a tradition at New Paltz, represents student body holiday greetings to people of all religious faiths.

Barbara Ann Neumann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Neumann of 47 DuBois Road, will represent New Paltz Central High at the Ulster County oratorical contest sponsored by the American Legion.

The contest will be held at Marlboro High School on Jan. 10 and will include representatives from several area high schools. Each contestant will

give a speech on the United States Constitution.

Miss Neumann is a junior at the high school and has been on the Principal's list each

quarter since entering the school system in 1965. Her

school activities include G.A.A. Council, Future Teachers of America, the school newspaper,

and Mathematics Enrichment. She is also secretary-treasurer of the French Club.

She is also a member of the Redeemer Lutheran Church and signs in the choir.

UCCC to Offer Social Psychology In Spring at the Woodstock School

STONE RIDGE — Ulster County Community College will offer Social Psychology as an evening extension course in the Spring semester at the Woodstock Elementary School, John J. America, director of continuing education, has announced.

The course will be offered on Monday nights from 7 to 9:40 p.m. beginning Feb. 3.

Social Psychology is a study of the process by which an individual becomes socialized and of the forces underlying the behavior of society.

Attention will also be given to experimental investigations of motivation, language, group dynamics and intergroup

relations in the UCCC course.

The course will carry three college credits, but mature adults, if they are interested, can audit the course without receiving credit.

Registration for the course may be done by mail prior to Jan. 24, or at the college's Stone Ridge campus from 6 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 28, and Wednesday, Jan. 29.

Fagan Warns The Tipplers

Holiday drinking and its reflection, on the holiday traffic accident rate came in for comment by Kingston Police Chief Francis J. Fagan.

"We'll not win popularity contests," Chief Fagan said, "but we'll be out with all the manpower we can muster to protect those who can't seem to say 'No thanks' during the holidays."

The chief cited alcohol as the

major holiday driving problem. He said alcohol is a factor "in as many as half the traffic accidents," citing figures from recent research.

For those who think they dare overdo at parties and then slide behind the wheel of a car thinking "I can get away with this time," Chief Fagan had this terse warning: "Watch out . . . or we'll have to watch out for you."



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In referring recently to an odd-lot sale, I mentioned a differential fee. Since this sale was on an over-the-counter issue, the differential does not apply. Here again there are no uniform rulings. Commissions and fees must be "fair and relate to the market." But many firms use the same rates as for listed issues.

Q—I purchased shares of Pacific Gas & Electric, Dictaphone, Uniroyal and Westinghouse Electric when I was single. Now I am a housewife and mother of three and wonder if these are suitable investments to continue holding.—V. R.

A—Despite your change in marital status since you acquired your portfolio, it is still suited to your aims.

Dictaphone Corp. has acted rather poorly in response to stagnant earnings. Difficulties stemmed primarily from one division which has since been sold. With this behind, Dictaphone should resume its former growth pattern.

Pacific Gas and Electric, like other utilities, has not attracted the market following that should be accorded a group with such a consistent record of earnings growth. There are signs that revaluation on the basis of reasonable multiples may bring more buying into this area.

Westinghouse has benefited from the strong pace of consumer spending as well as increased construction of generating plants by utility companies.

A sharp earnings improvement has been reported by Uniroyal over 1967's depressed results. Official estimates are placed at \$4 to \$4.25 a share for the year.

(Mr. Spear cannot answer all mail personally, but will answer all questions possible in his column.)

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Yule Services In Kerhonkson

Two special services will be held tonight at the Federated Church in Kerhonkson. First, at 7:30 p. m., a special observance of Candles and Carols especially for those who have young children who could not participate in the midnight service. At 11:30 p. m., a traditional Christmas Eve Candlelight Service of Holy Communion to which everyone is invited.

The first Sunday in Christmastide, Dec. 29, the Rev. Paul C. Hoyt, pastor of the church, will deliver the message entitled "The Need and The Promise" at the 11 a. m. worship. The nursery for young children will be under the direction of Mrs. Lois Kortright.

On Monday, Jan. 20, the annual meeting of the Federated Church of Kerhonkson will begin with a covered dish supper at 6 p. m. to which all are invited.

Choir rehearsals resume Wednesday, Jan. 8, for senior choir and on Friday, Jan. 10, for junior and intermediate choirs.

On Friday, Dec. 20, junior and intermediate choir members enjoyed a Christmas party with their directors, Mrs. Hedda Saul and Mrs. Florence Tompkins.

Altar plants were placed in memory of Mrs. Henrietta Lyons by her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Rich, and in memory of Mrs. A. J. Anderson by his sister, Mrs. Mildred A. Holmberg.

In spite of inclement weather on Sunday, Dec. 22, the Sunday school's Christmas program "A Birthday Party for Christ" was well attended. The movie, "The Christmas Spirit" was shown as well as children from the Sunday school sharing their Christmas gifts with less fortunate youngsters.

Financial and Commercial

NEW YORK (UPI)—Stocks opened mixed today in moderately active trading.

Shortly after the opening, the UPI stock market indicator was off 0.05 per cent on 519 issues across the tape. Declines narrowly edged advances, 199 to 185.

Electronics were irregular, as were the oils. Steels weakened a bit, but autos surged.

RCA picked up $\frac{1}{2}$ %, with Litton and Magnavox up similar amounts. However, General Electric dipped $\frac{1}{2}$ % and Scientific Data gave up $\frac{1}{2}$ %.

U.S. Steel and Bethlehem lost $\frac{1}{2}$ % apiece. Youngstown Sheet & Tube, and Republic held steady. Gulf Oil rose $\frac{1}{4}$ %, as did Occidental. Atlantic Richfield, meanwhile, fell $\frac{1}{4}$ %. Cities Service slipped $\frac{1}{4}$ %.

Quotations by Doolittle & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange, Kingston Branch, 48 Main Street, Kingston, N. Y., Holcombe Tomson, manager.

QUOTATIONS AT 12 O'CLOCK

American Air Lines	34 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
American Can Co.	57 $\frac{3}{4}$
American Home Prod. ..	61
American Hos. Sup.	33 $\frac{1}{4}$
America's Motors	13 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Amer. Smelt & Ref. Co. ..	91
American Tel. & Tel.	53 $\frac{3}{4}$ %
American Tobacco	32 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Anaconda Copper	62 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Atchafalaya, Top. & San. Fe.	33 $\frac{1}{4}$
Avco Corp.	49 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Avon Products	128 $\frac{1}{2}$
Beckman Instruments ..	53 $\frac{1}{4}$
Bendix Corp.	48 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Bethlehem Steel Corp. ..	31 $\frac{3}{4}$ %
Boeing Co.	57 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Borden Co.	35 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Burlington Industries ...	46 $\frac{1}{4}$
Burroughs Corp.	237 $\frac{1}{4}$
Caldor, Inc.	21 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Case, J. I. Co.	20 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Celanese Corp.	70 $\frac{1}{4}$
Central Hudson G. & E. ..	29 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Chesapeake & Ohio R.R. ..	72 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Chrysler Corp.	58 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Columbia Gas System ...	30 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Commercial Solvents	29 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Commonwealth Oil Ref. ...	27 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Com. Satellite	55 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Con. Edison of N. Y.	32 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Continental Oil	80 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Continental Can	68 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Control Data	148 $\frac{1}{2}$
Curtis Wright Corp.	32 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Disney Productions	85
Dupont De Nemours	165
Eastern Air Lines	29 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Eastman Kodak	75 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Eltra	45 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Fairchild Camera & Insts.	85 $\frac{1}{4}$
Ford Motors	53 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
General Aniline & Film ...	31 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
General Dynamics	45 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
General Electric	95 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
General Foods	84 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
General Instruments Corp.	43 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
General Motors	80 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
General Tel. & Elec.	40 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Goodyear Tire & Rubber. ...	56 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Hercules, Inc.	53 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
International Bus. Mach. ..	319 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
International Harvester ..	37 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
International Nickel	36 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
International Paper	36 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
International Tel. & Tel. ...	58 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Johns-Manville	75
Jones & Laughlin Steel ..	76 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Kennecott Copper	49 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Liggett Myers Tobacco ...	47 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Litton Industries, Inc. ...	75
Lockheed Aircraft	47 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Magnavox	57 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
McDonnell Douglas	49 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Marcor	53 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Mobil Oil Co.	60 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
National Biscuit	51
National Dairy Prod.	42 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Niagara Mohawk Power ...	22 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Northern Pacific	61 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Pan-Amer. World Airlines ..	28
J. C. Penney & Co.	45 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Penn-Central Corp.	62
Phelps Dodge	49 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Phillips Petroleum	75 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Polaroid Corp.	118 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Radio Corp. of America ...	46 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Republic Steel	50 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Revlon Inc.	24 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Reynolds Tobacco	45 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Rohr Corp.	33 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Sears Roebuck Co.	64
Sinclair Oil	32 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Southern Pacific	45 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Sperry-Rand Corp.	46 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Standard Oil of N. J.	80 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Stewart Warner	49 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Studebaker Worthington. ...	54 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Syntex Corp.	71 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Texaco, Inc.	26 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Teledyne Inc.	112 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Texas Instruments, Inc. ...	108 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Union Pacific R.R.	53 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
United Aircraft	68 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Uniroyal	61 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
United States Steel	43 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Western Union	43 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Western Electric Corp. ...	67 $\frac{1}{4}$ %
Woolworth, F. W. & Co. ...	36 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
Xerox Corp.	268

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SANTA MAKES IT — Santa Claus is greeted by Mrs. Frances McCullough and Joseph St. George of East Kingston Fire Co. upon arrival at Kingston-Ulster Airport prior to party at firehouse. Little Frances Rittie was another greeter. At the party, St. Nick distributed gifts to youngsters. Refreshments were served by the Ladies' Auxiliary. The fire department also distributed candy later to the Children's Home in Kingston and to the children's wards of both Kingston and Benedictine Hospitals. (Freeman photo by Haines)

Spinster's Will Upheld by Court; Some to School

HARTFORD, Conn. (UPI) — The Connecticut Supreme Court has upheld a provision in a Greenwich spinster's will which left a portion of her \$13 million estate to a Quaker-affiliated school in Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

The high court ruled Monday that the estate of Ida McKinney provided for the Oakwood School to receive the "net income" earned by interest over a 20-year-old period on approximately \$2 million.

Trustees of Miss McKinney's estate argued the school was not entitled to the gift and the money should be returned to the family trust.

The court said the \$2 million would revert to the family trust upon completion of its 20-year-old interest-earning period. Miss McKinney died in Greenwich on June 18, 1964.

Old Part Missing

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo. (AP) — Donnie Pittsinger's automobile was where he had left it, but it wouldn't start. In his absence, thieves had lifted the engine right out of the car.

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Treasury Receipts

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Treasury accounts for the fiscal year through Dec. 19: Withdrawals \$96,769,182,775.05 Deposits 86,095,904,690.94 Cash balance 6,027,324,702.64 Public debt 362,748,260,401.76 Gold 10,366,963,688.69



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SEEC YULE PARTY—Members of the Social, Economic, Educational Cultural Society (SEEC) recently held their annual Christmas party at the YWCA. SEEC is a local organization engaged in helping the blind. Participants included (L), seated, George Banks, SEEC president and Dorothy Slater, recording secretary. Standing are Mrs. Howard Stabile, corresponding secretary and Donald Snell, treasurer. Santa Claus was played by Edward Mayone of the Boys Club, many members of which participated in the party.

7 Children, Woman Are Killed As Christmas Tree Catches Fire

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Seven children and a woman died Monday night in a fire that swept from a Christmas tree through their two-story wooden home in Watts.

The bodies of four small children were found in upstairs bedrooms. The charred body of a young woman with an infant in her arms was in the dining room. The body of a teen-aged boy was in the living room and a seventh child on the stairs.

The only survivor was Eddie Green Jr., 18, asleep on the living room couch when the fire started. He was in a state of shock and could not immediately give a coherent description of what happened.

Eddie couldn't tell how he got out. A newsman asked him if he thought a Christmas present might have started the fire under the artificial tree.

"No," he answered, "there aren't many presents."

Fire officials believed the blaze began in or around the tree.

Mrs. Mary A. Jones, a neighbor, turned in the first alarm at 10:43 p.m. She said she was awakened by a girl screaming, "Mrs. Jones! Jones! There's a fire. Get help."

By the time nine city fire units arrived, the whole house was in flames.

Firemen searching through the gutted interior found the remains of Christmas presents, including a charred pair of roller skates.

Police said several neighbors tried to enter the burning home to rescue those inside but were driven back by the flames.

Some had to be restrained by firemen from trying to go inside.

Poet Declines Invitation From White House; LBJ Roars

NEW YORK (AP)—President Johnson let loose a roar in his Oval Office in the White House that "could be heard all the way into the East Wing" when Poet Robert Lowell declined to visit a White House arts festival, a former presidential consultant says.

When 20 intellectuals sent Johnson a telegram supporting Lowell's refusal to attend, which the poet termed a protest of the war in Vietnam, Johnson was moved to a state of rage against all artists and intellectuals, according to Eric F. Goldman, a Princeton University history professor.

Goldman, who organized the arts festival in 1965, said Johnson ordered a press blackout and that Mrs. Johnson asked him to request John Hersey, the author, not to read from "Hiroshima," his account of the atomic blast that helped end World War II. But Goldman refused, and Hersey read from "Hiroshima."

Goldman recounted his days as a Johnson aide in an article in the January Harper's magazine, "The White House and the Intellectuals."

Lowell, Hersey and the telegram led the President to call

all intellectuals "not only 'son-of-a-bitches,' but 'fools' and 'close to traitors,'" Goldman wrote.

Johnson was furious with "these people... all of them who had insulted him and the office of the presidency," Goldman said.

The President even said privately, "Don't they know I'm the only President they've got and a war is on?" his former aide said.

Goldman was critical of both parties in the dispute: "I had seen a President reacting with arrogant know-nothingism, and influential figures in the cultural world reacting with an equally arrogant know-it-allness."

Of the Hersey incident, Goldman recounted that the First Lady said, "The President is being criticized as a bloody warmonger. He can't have writers

coming here and denouncing him, in his own house, as a man who wants to use nuclear bombs."

Hersey read from "Hiroshima" at a luncheon in the family's private quarters, with a preface saying he meant it as a warning that "wars have a way of getting out of hand."

Goldman, who served Johnson from 1964 to 1966, based the article on his soon-to-be published book, "The Tragedy of Lyndon Johnson."

The festival, he concluded, was "an unmitigated disaster" that "added bricks to the wall between the President and these groups" of intellectuals.



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Space Authority To Conduct Research

NEW YORK (UPI)—The New York State Atomic and Space Development Authority announced Monday it will conduct a two-year research program on disposal of radioactive waste at its western New York nuclear service center in West Valley.

Under an agreement with the Atomic Energy Commission's Oak Ridge national laboratory, the state agency will attempt to validate new testing methods of the radioactive waste disposal technique known as "hydraulic fracturing."

The method has been used successfully for the past two years to dispose of intermediate level wastes in shale formations at Oak Ridge in eastern Tennessee. The \$150,000 test will demonstrate whether it is applicable in similar shale formations in other locations.

The technique involves the mixing of liquid waste with cement which is injected in liquid form into a well casing extending 1,500 to 2,000 feet into the ground where the liquid hardens.

During the West Valley pro-

gram no actual radioactive wastes will be deposited but radioactive isotopes will be used as tracers to measure the effectiveness of the technique.

Initial work will begin this month with the major work to start in the spring at a location within the nuclear service center east of Buttermilk Creek.

Cooperating in the program will be Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc., which owns and operates the nation's first commercial nuclear fuel reprocessing plant at the center, the U.S. Geological Survey and the office of the New York State geologist.

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Paltz College To Take Seniors From New York

NEW PALTZ—Seniors from New York City high schools—closed out their classrooms by a series of strikes this fall—may be admitted to the State University College up until Jan. 17 for the second semester beginning February 4, college officials have announced.

Students attending schools outside the city, who will have had the opportunity to meet all admission requirements during the fall semester, will be sent

letters of admission not later than Jan. 6.

The college said it had extended the deadline for admission of city students because, since the reopening of the schools, administrators have been flooded with requests for recommendations and other

paper-work by graduation seniors who wish to start college this winter. In some cases, it has been impossible to meet all admission demands prior to the

college's Jan. 6 deadline.

The college at New Paltz also requires the Regents Scholarship Examination to be taken by state high school students prior to admission. Since the state test was not given until Nov. 26, the results may not be available Jan. 6, but the college expects that test scores will be reported by Jan. 17. Otherwise, the college will accept national College Entrance Examination Board scores in lieu of the state results.

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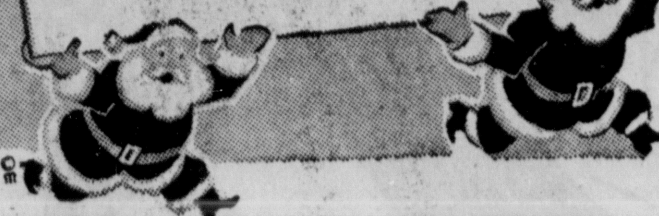
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Runoff Election in January Between Local 445, CSEA

A runoff election for selection of bargaining agents for New York State Thruway Employees has been scheduled for January between Local 445, International Brotherhood of Teamsters and the Civil Service Employees Association (CSEA), due to the close outcome of recent voting.

Out of 1,878 votes cast, Local 445 received 726 while CSEA was given 831. Council 50 was given 260 votes.

The council has thrown its weight behind Local 445, ac-

cording to a spokesman for the local in Kingston, and is urging the workers to vote for the local.

Ballots are to be mailed to the workers on Jan. 8 and must be returned with postmarks dated no later than Jan. 17.

The final outcome will be known after counting of ballots on Jan. 23, according to Local 445 Kingston office.

Local 445 Secretary-Treasurer Theodore G. Daley said he believes that votes cast for the

two labor unions, Council 50, and Local 445, mean that the Thruway workers "do not want CSEA to represent them."

He predicts a victory for the local and complimented Council 50 leaders for their fight, saying the combined votes cast for labor organizations will insure victory.

CSEA represents supervisors on the Thruway and Daley said it "would be impossible to represent both the employee and the boss."

Dutchess Realtor Head Joins Developer of UR

POUGHKEEPSIE — acquiring the property on Route 9 in Fishkill for the planned R. H. Macy shopping complex. In addition, he was a leasing agent for the developer of the Hudson Plaza Shopping Center in the Town of Poughkeepsie and has also handled the sale of several Main Street properties.

The firm is the developer of Poughkeepsie's Riverview Urban Renewal Project.

In making the appointment known, L. J. Corbetta, president of Corbetta Enterprises said, "We are pleased to have this very competent and well known Dutchess County realtor join our organization. Mr. Spevak brings to the job a wealth of realty and business experience as well as a thorough knowledge of the area."

A resident of Poughkeepsie since 1946, Spevak will close his Market Street real estate office when he assumes his duties with Corbetta Enterprises. He has been engaged in the sale of real property and insurance for several years in this area, and was instrumental in

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DENVER (AP) — John Evans, who resigned recently as a director of the First National Bank of Denver, is a grandson of the territorial governor of Colorado during Civil War days. The elder Evans, also named John, founded the University of Denver and Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill.

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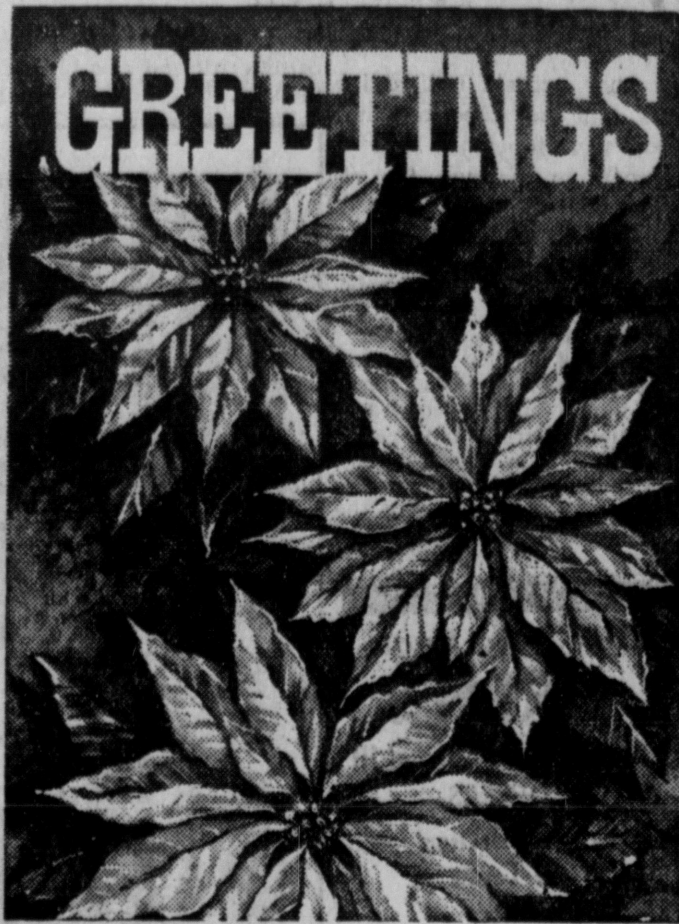
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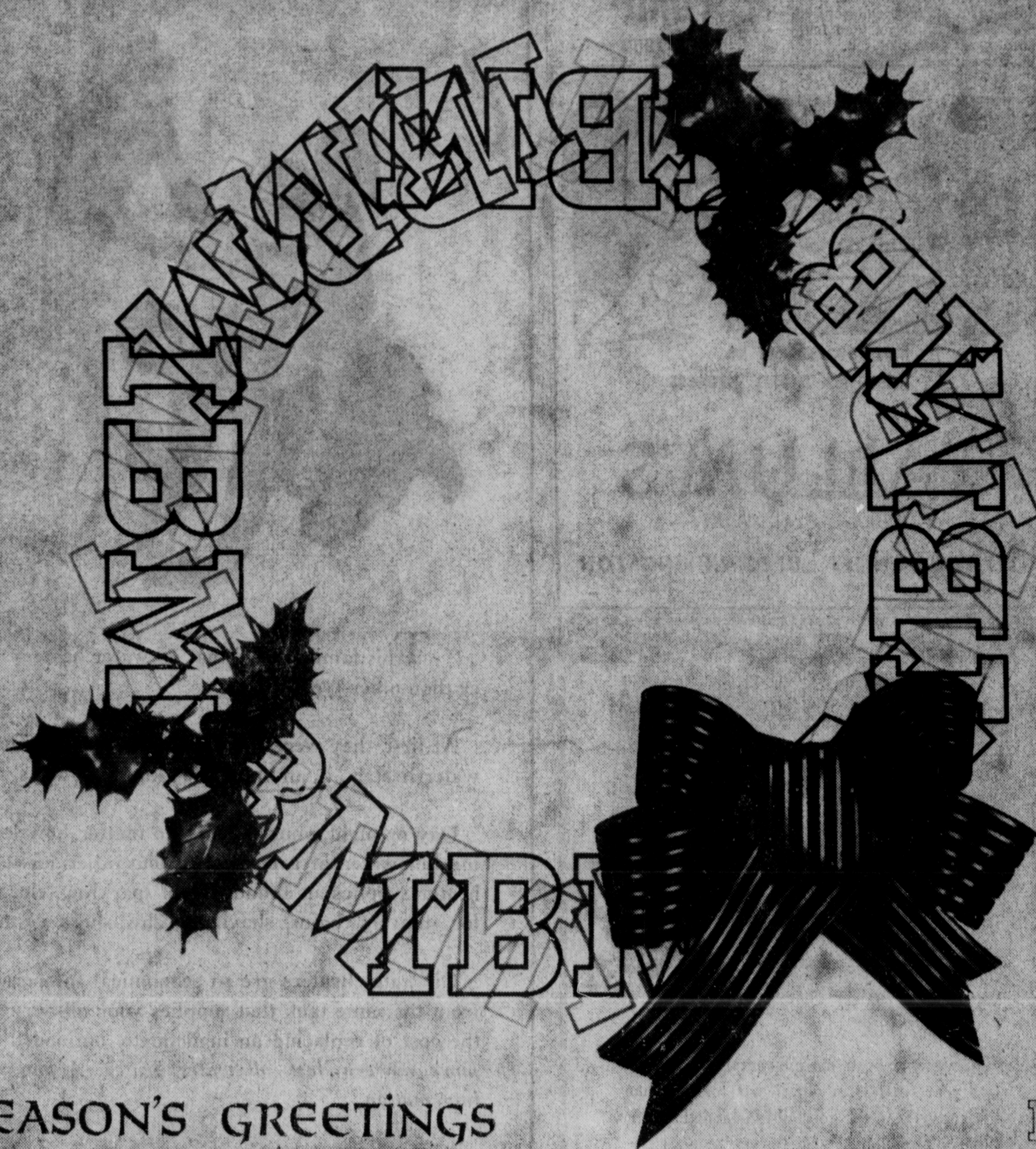
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SANTA COMES TO ESOPUS—Santa Claus came to Esopus Saturday and made stops at the town's post office and the Mother Cabrini Home. His trip was made possible through the efforts of the local Lions Club and an assist also came from Santa's helpers who are all members of the recently organized Leo Club, comprised of Kingston High School students. Santa is shown at the St. Remy Post Office with the children and his helpers. (Freeman photo by Haines)

Benefits Also Gain

New Social Security Hike Jan. 1

Starting with the first paychecks they receive in New York, the nation's working people will pay 4.8 per cent of their earnings toward their social security protection, an increase of 0.04 of one per cent over the contribution rate in effect since the beginning of 1967.

Social security contributions are still payable on only the first \$7,800 of annual earnings, George J. Habernig, Kingston, N. Y., social security district manager, said today. For a person earning \$7,800 or more a year \$150 a week or over, the increase will amount to 60 cents a week; a worker earning \$100 a week will pay 40 cents a week more.

The increase that goes into effect Jan. 1, was scheduled in the social security amendment of 1967. Those amendments increased cash benefits for all beneficiaries by at least 13 per cent. The increase in benefits payable to workers and their families in the future will be even greater, Habernig said.

Retirement protection for workers and their families is increased, and so is the protection wives and children have if the worker should die. There is also improved protection for the entire family if the family breadwinner should become disabled for work for a period of 12 months or more.

The contribution rate of 4.8 per cent for 1969-70 is actually slightly lower than the 4.9 per cent rate that was scheduled for those 2 years in the previous law, he said.

Gradual increases are scheduled in the contribution rate until, for 1987 and later, the rate will be 5.9 per cent. Habernig noted that this is only 0.25 of one per cent higher than the rate scheduled in the law before the amendments of 1967. This rate includes 5.0 per cent for retirement, survivors, and disability insurance, and 0.9 per cent for hospital insurance.

Younger workers, as well as those who are middle-aged or older, can look forward to getting social security retirement benefits worth considerably more than the total they will pay into social security toward that retirement protection, Habernig stated.

In addition, he said, they have survivors and disability insurance under social security that may mean as much as \$75,000 to \$100,000 in payments to an individual family, should the worker die or become disabled for work before retirement.

A look at the schedule of benefits and contributions in today's law, he said, will assure the worker that his social security is a good investment. But he can look forward to an even greater appreciation in its value in the years ahead. Unlike the usual private insurance contract which promises a fixed amount of money in return for a specified premium, the value of social security protection grows as the economy grows.

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Cellar Rattles to Blend With Carols

NEW KENSINGTON, Pa. (AP)—Rattles from the cellar will blend with Christmas carols again this year at the home of Leo Wagner.

The rattles will come from 16 snakes Wagner has caged in the basement of his home.

And the sound of a snake's rattle is "music to my ears," says the herpetologist, who's collected 616 snakes in the past 32 years.

Favoring timber rattlers and massagua or swamp rattlers, Wagner collects the reptiles each spring and autumn in Pennsylvania's northern counties.

For his next year's vacation Wagner doesn't dream of fishing in Canada, sailing at the Bahamas or tiger shooting in India. He's eagerly awaiting an annual rattlesnake hunt in Oklahoma.

He used to supply the Highland Park Zoo in Pittsburgh with snakes but it's just a hobby. He captures the scaly reptiles, cares for them at home during the winter or summer and releases them near the spot where he found them the following spring or fall.

"I first became interested in snakes when I was a young fellow and used to hear old timers talking about them," Wagner said. "I saw snakes in town with a circus and they captured my interest."

But his mother didn't share her son's fascination with

snakes. Wagner said she dreaded the animals. She once had police inspect his car before allowing him in the house.

Wagner's wife, Florence, is more complacent. "After all these years (23), what can you expect?" she said.

The snake fancier said he made one thing clear while the couple was dating. His point: "If you want to marry me, you've got to take my snakes, too."

Wagner's enthusiasm over his hobby nearly got him into trouble when he once found six slithering creatures and "tried to get as many as I could."

"I stepped on two and

reached down for two more with my hands," he explained. "I got the two in my hands into the sack but the one under my right foot managed to get away and crawl up my calf."

Although Wagner denies that rattlesnake bites are always fatal, he said, "I was worried. I felt his fangs on my leg and was pretty scared until I saw it had only scratched me and didn't draw blood. But I felt

venom running down my leg." He now uses a pair of tongs made from golf club shafts. Even if the snakes don't rattle on key this Christmas, Wagner has a pet menagerie that sounds like the ending of a famous carol.

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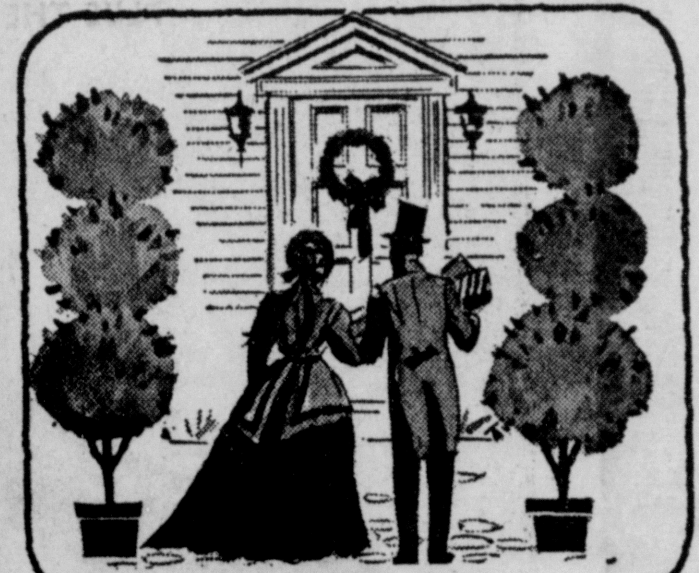
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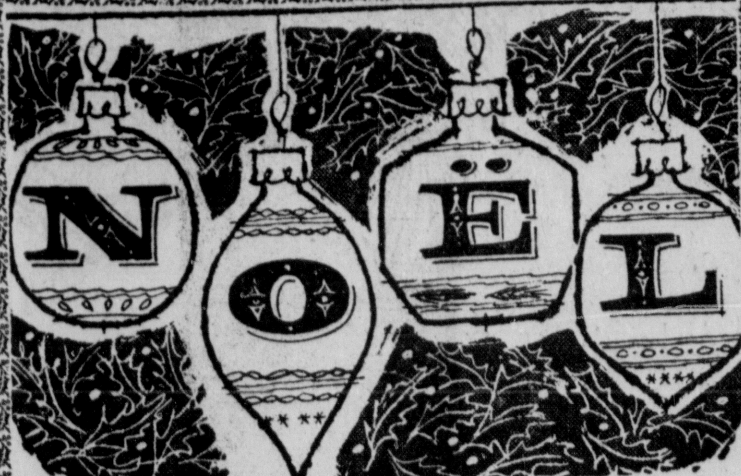
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Shandaken and the Deer Carcasses

By SHAN ECROSBY

SHANDAKEN — A frozen deer, back broken and bowed into a grotesque shape, is dead in more than a foot of wet snow along a stream that follows Route 42 north of this hamlet.

Hit by a passing car as it crossed the mountain road along the Greene-Ulster County line, the deer was thrown over an embankment and left to die by the side of the Bushnellville Stream a yard or so from where it was struck.

Residents admit that little can be done to halt the many deaths, but the accumulation of the carcasses along streams and brooks in this mountain region of the counties is causing concern to many here as being a health hazard in the making.

Called Common Practice The Bushnellville follows Rt.

42 for about a mile and at points is as close as a yard to the roadway. It is common practice, says one area homeowner, to toss the deer over the bank, while authorities show reluctance to remove them.

Russell Frasier Jr., who lives at the base of the mountain's south side on Rt. 42, said he had counted 11 of the deer from last October until August.

He said his brother-in-law had counted 14 carcasses along the

stream during a spring-day outing.

Conservation officers, Frasier said sometimes claim that the county-line area is out of their jurisdiction in an effort to avoid the disposal problem.

Charge Denied This charge was flatly denied by a conservation officer who patrols the area and says he removed six carcasses on one recent Sunday alone.

Bernstein, who covers the area from Poughkeepsie, refuted Frasier's claim of not taking care of the carcasses, saying

that he could not recall Frasier calling him. Bernstein said "if he calls up, we'll take care of any case."

The officer said carcasses are taken to the Pine Hill area for burial. "New York City Water" shed inspectors also patrol the area, Bernstein said, and watch not only the Shokan Reservoir but all feeder streams that go into it.

He said every effort is made to clean up not only deer that are hit by vehicles but those that die from starvation or are killed and left to the elements.

This year, he said, a "bad food situation" has complicated the deer herds. A late frost killed most of the food the deer would live off the winter with. This starvation problem, added to death by auto and attack by dog packs, has resulted in a death rate, Bernstein said, was "more than I can ever remember having had before."

Seldom Claimed

The carcasses are sometimes left by drivers, the officer said, when they can easily kick them off the roadway down nearby embankments. He said 99 per cent of all deer hit by car are so badly broken up that they are unfit as food and "very seldom" are claimed by the driver.

He doubted that many would be found in streams, through the efforts of the New York City inspectors and conservation officers. Many are found in the Spring, he said, due to their being covered by snow during the winter months.

State Conservation Office spokesman Arthur Woldt said that if the deer is found to be fit for consumption, the conservation officer for the area will see that it goes to some

charitable institution. If found unfit, it is buried, or at least taken to a dump and covered.

He said that motorists who hit deer may obtain a permit from authorities to keep it, if they contact the conservation officer for the area within 24 hours. There must also be proof of an accident, most likely by damage to the vehicle.

Little can be done about the deaths, Bernstein said, adding deer signs along the roads are not the answer.

He said the signs that read "Deer Crossing" have little effect because "People won't read them, and deer can't read them."

Drivers who know the location of deer crossings or who have had the bad luck to hit a deer, slow down in that area, he added, with most of the accidents involving out-of-towners who do not know the area and who go along at normal highway speeds.

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Red Hook Jaycees Add 6

RED HOOK — Six new members were added to the roster of the Red Hook Jaycees at a recent meeting. They join twenty other young area men to bring the local group to a level that is the minimum

required for membership in the New York State and United States Jaycees, according to local president Jerry Motala.

He said he will file application with the National Director by the end of this month.

Makes Proposal For State Repeal Of Taylor Law

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — State Sen. John H. Hughes says he will ask the next legislature to repeal the controversial Taylor Law which governs public employees.

The influential Republican made the proposal Monday in four bills filed for consideration by the legislature, which convenes Jan. 8.

In one of the measures, Hughes suggested a plan to set up a seven-member legislative commission to participate in negotiations between the state government and its employees.

Another bill would require legislative bodies in cities, towns, villages or counties to designate one of its members to negotiate contracts with its workers.

In both bills, Hughes would make it a Class E felony, which carries a maximum term of four years in prison, for an official of an employee organization to cause, encourage or condone a strike by his members. If such a strike were held, the organization be barred from representing employees for five years.

The Taylor Law, in effect for two years, has been criticized by some that it is too lenient and has failed to discourage public employee strikes. Under the terms of the law, union officials may be jailed for contempt of court for up to 30 days and the union fined up to \$10,000 a day if the employees strike.

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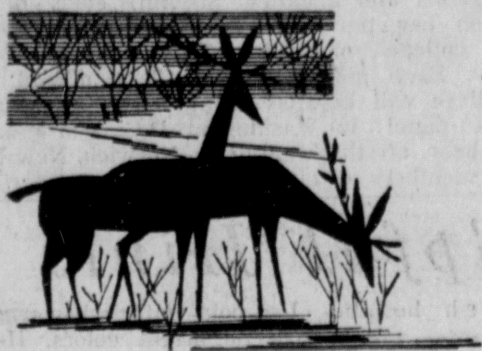
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Artists, engineers, and representatives of local industry have been urged to attend.

The purpose of EAT is to coordinate the active involvement of industry, technology, and the arts.

During the first meeting examples of technological art will be presented and discussed.

The organization is headquartered at 9 East 16th Street in New York City. The temporary area coordinator is Robert Liikala, on the faculty of the State University College.

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The workers, members of Local 1891 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, walked out Saturday after rejecting a proposed three-year contract with the company.

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WEST HURLEY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM—Fu Yuan Song, left, West Hurley vocal music teacher, is pictured above conducting students at West Hurley School in the singing of Christmas carols at the school's holiday program. Members of the group include (l-r) Wayne Carlson, Paul Bergendahl, both from Grade 5; and Kathryn Brown, Cathy Schaefer, from Grade 6. (Freeman photo by Kruh)

Contest Planned for Top Ten College Girls in America

The Student Public Relations and Development Council of Mount Saint Mary College is entering a student in Glamour's 1969 Top Ten College Girls in America contest. Six girls were selected, two from each upper class, on the basis of their approach to fashion and, their involvement on campus or in the community. In selecting the finalists, the Glamour judges will be paying particular attention to the girls' fashion sense and a written essay on their area of interest. Each contestant is required to submit two photographs and a 750 word theme on her participation in a college or community activity. Each girl selected at the college will be interviewed by a panel including five members of the faculty. The eight members of the Student Council and two administrators. The girls selected from their class are Miss Joan Lanigan, Beacon, and Miss Jean Ryan, Valley Stream, class of '69; Miss Irene Yozzo, Newburgh, and Miss Laurel Cox, Rochester, Class of '70; and Miss Mary Jo McLaughlin, Washington, D.C., and Miss Pat McAndrew, Norwich, New York, class of '71.

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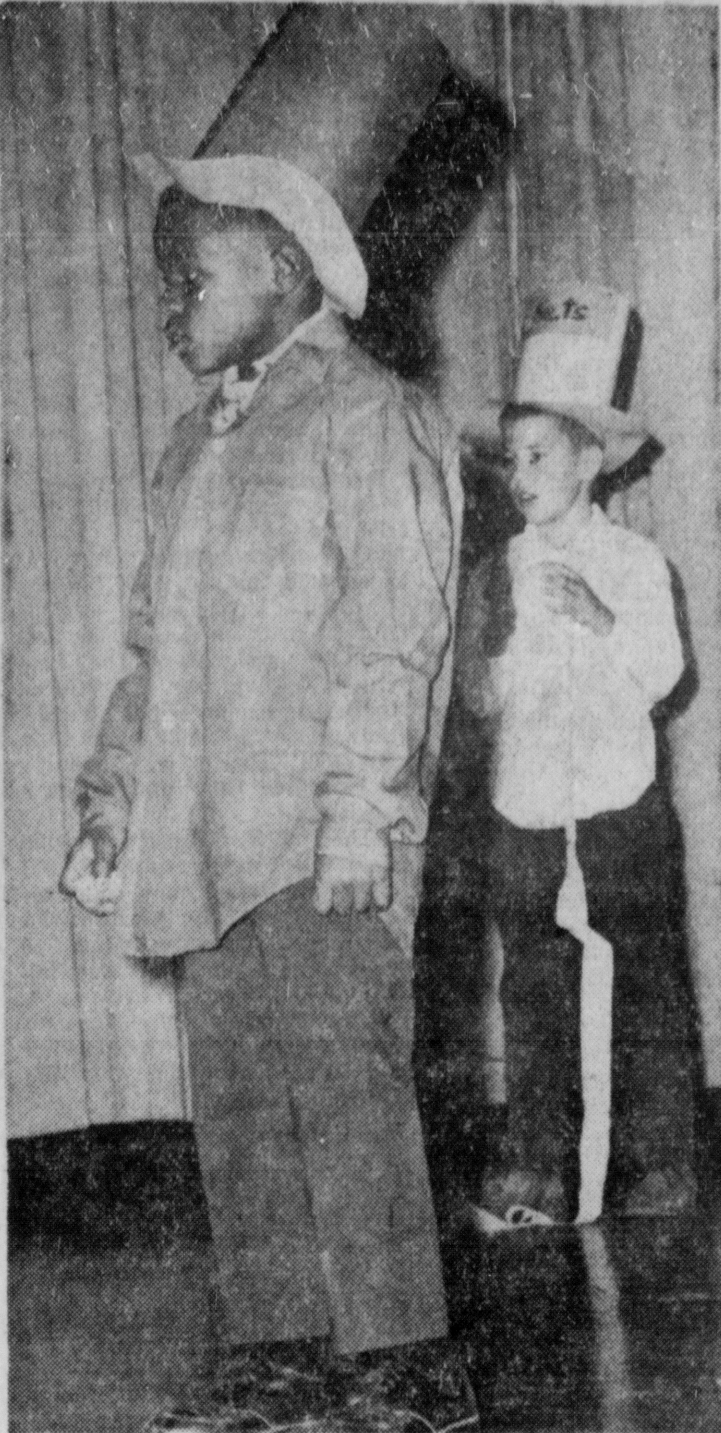
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ED DEDRICK, left, and Bob Bence perform in production of "Showboat" which was presented recently by Marbltown Cub Scouts, Pack 16, at Marbltown Elementary School. (Freeman photos by Haines)



EARL LITTLE makes like Dean Martin as Steven Staubly watches from rear.



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As a Mississippi River Showboat, few boats could compare with the entertainment record of the USS Cub Scout. The captain recalled the outstanding acts of the past year. Peter Jansen and Mark Steiner were featured in their comedy routine: John Campola as Elvis Presley; Earl Little as Dean Martin; Robert Bence as Hank Williams; Larry Hasenflue, Douglas Locke, John Sartorius, and Gordon VanDemark, as can-can "girls"; Jay Kikas, magician; John Pismopoulos, piano solo; Kurt Cross, organ solo; James Hopkins and Henry Kingsbury, cowboy song routine.

Also James Arra, Edward Dedrick, Henry Kingsbury, dancers; Michael Anderson, Daniel Boice, Raymond Rapolt, and John Steitz, hula dancers; Robert Doine, Michael

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To conclude the program, Santa Claus arrived with gifts for all the children and pinewood derby kits for the cub scouts to make into racing cars for the January pack meeting McKenna, Thomas Price, James

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SANTA GETS HELPING HAND—Members of the Welcome Wagon Club of Kingston are busy these days aiding Santa. The club adopted a needy family during the year and now they are preparing Christmas gifts for them. This is one of many community service projects sponsored by the club. Working on the project Thursday night were (l-r) Mrs. Arthur Schultz; Mrs. Charles Selzo, Welcome Wagon hostess; Mrs. Patrick Rivelli, service chairman; and Mrs. John Lane, president of the club. (Freeman photo by Kruh)

Theodore Prenting Recives Appointment at Marist College

Theodore O. Prenting has been appointed Assistant Professor of Business and Systems Analyst at the Marist College Computer Center, according to Brother Linus R. Foy, President of Marist College, Poughkeepsie.

Prior to coming to Marist College, he followed a career in industry and research, as well as in teaching. Most recently, he was Manager of the Operations, Research and Statistics Department, Computer Science Division of Illinois Institute of Technology Research Institute, formerly Amour Research Foundation, Chicago. Mr. Prenting also did extensive consulting in manufacturing with major firms in the United States and Europe. He continues to serve as a consultant to I.I.T. Research Institute.

His other industrial background includes several years as a Systems Analyst with International Business Machines, Poughkeepsie and as manager of a small business in Poughkeepsie.

Mr. Prenting has taught as a lecturer at Dutchess Community College, Marist College, Illinois Institute of Technology (graduate program) and the University of Chicago, Graduate School of Business.

Mr. Prenting received his B.A. in business and M.B.A. in business administration from the University of Chicago.

1968 Milestone Year for Yule Cards

By GAY PAULEY

NEW YORK (UPI)—The year is one of milestones for the Christmas card industry.

For one thing, the Yule card is observing its 93rd birthday in the United States.

Secondly, the world observes the 150th anniversary of the beautiful "Silent Night, Holy Night." The carol, although not of U.S. origin, provides one of the central religious themes of the 1938 greeting cards because of this anniversary.

Thirdly, U.S. families will send 3.8 billion cards this year, a record. Last year, the total was 3.5 billion. This year's record, close to 70 cards on the average for each U.S. family, means that Uncle Sam will collect close to \$230 million in postage during the holiday mailing season. Senders will select from more than 50,000 designs.

The 3.8 billion cards estimate comes from Steve Q. Shannon, Executive Director of the National Association of Greeting Card Publishers.

Religious motifs enjoy a renaissance this year, Shannon said, making up 30 per cent or more than one billion of all cards sent. Because of Vietnam and concern for peace, there also is a strong patriotic motif—"there isn't a single line (by any manufacturer) that doesn't have some of the peace symbols in it," said Shannon, in an interview. "And not on a protest, but on a prayerful basis."

He said another trend develop-

ing is the return of color to Gruber, teacher and parttime the envelopes. And a note on organist, to sing religious and mailing: Whatever the shade of folk songs. On December 23, in envelope, the U.S. Post Office 1818, Father Mohr sat at his recommends that for ease of desk thinking of a visit he had processing during the Christmas just made to a happy mother rush that decorations such as and her newborn son.

The Christmas seal go on the back of envelopes. Thinking of them, and of the beauty of the snow-covered countryside, the priest put his thoughts into poetry, calling the poem "Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht." Later, Gruber set the poem to music, scoring the

One of his women employees suggested that he print "Merry Christmas" on some of his floral cards in the space left blank for a signature. They first caught on overseas. But offered to the American public in 1875, they were an instant success. By 1881, Prang was printing five million Christmas cards a year.

The motif centering around the "Silent Night, Holy Night" carol is found on countless cards throughout the world. But the carol first was sung 150 years ago in the Austrian village of Oberndorf.

Chroniclers says that it was a Sunday custom in Oberndorf for the Rev. Josef Mohr, pastor of St. Nikolaus Church, and Franz

melody for his guitar, because a children's classic sung for the flood of a village stream royalty. Now, of course, it is as had damaged the church organ, much a part of Christmas as Others heard the gentle gifts and has been translated hymn, and eventually it became into some 90 languages.

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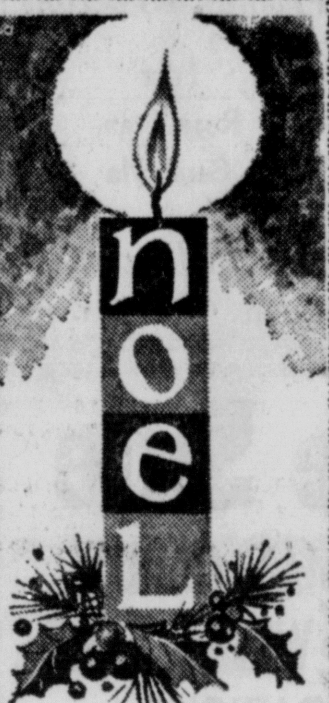
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McHale Doesn't Want the Job...But

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (UPI)—John McHale, owner of the Montreal Expos, said today he wasn't "campaigning" for the baseball commissioner's post, but admitted he would accept a draft.

League owners meet next month to pick a successor to ousted President William D. Eckert and McHale confirmed he'd been contacted by many of them about the job.

"Naturally, I am very flattered at my name being mentioned in connection with this job," he said. But he quickly added "if I had my

choice of what I wanted to do, I'd rather run a baseball club than be behind a desk in a league or commissioner's office."

McHale, here for the holidays, told the meeting of baseball owners in Chicago last week that he didn't want to be considered for the job. He had been named on 11 to 12 American League ballots and at least a few of the required nine National League votes.

"I went to the meeting to support Mike Burke (president of the Yankees) or Charles

Feeney (vice-president of the Giants)," McHale explained. "I really didn't want the job because I feel I have obligations to my partners in Montreal, but that may change under new circumstances."

"But there are certain times when you're called on to do jobs for the whole institution or industry that you have to listen to."

He said he took no part in the move to oust Eckert.

"The general has a lot of fine qualities," McHale said. "I felt, however, that we should wait

until we have picked a new commissioner. I think most of us owners are in agreement that a new commissioner must be a baseball man."

"There is nothing wrong with baseball. It is only the legal structure that is archaic. There are too many things that require unanimous consent to change. This blocks progress and new ideas. I think a strong commissioner can promote progress in baseball," he concluded.

McHale played professionally with Detroit and joined the

Tiger organization as an executive before taking over the general managing duties as general manager of the Braves in both Milwaukee and Atlanta. The 48-year-old McHale replaced Lee McPhail as administrator of baseball under Eckert in January 1967 and became president of the Expos in August.

McHale has two sons playing college football. John Jr. played on the Notre Dame varsity as a sophomore this past season, and Kevin McHale was on Army's freshman team.

All Roses, No Dough for Dancer's Image

By DREW VON BERGEN
LEXINGTON, Ky. (UPI)—Nearly eight months after the running of the 1968 Kentucky Derby, the winner officially was named and, at the same time, barred from participating in the purse distribution.

The Kentucky State Racing Commission, after considering

over 77 hours of testimony, three succeeding prizes to be awarded the next three horses in the race—Francie's Hat, T.V. drug in his system and therefore was ineligible to collect the \$122,600 first place money.

The prize Monday was ordered to Forward Pass, the second place finisher, and the 1968 Kentucky Derby winner

under state racing rules which do not affect the order of finish," the commission said. Ever since the disclosure last May that there was a question concerning the derby winner, Churchill Downs has kept Forward Pass' name inscribed in gold on the tote board and grandstand.

Discussing the commission's ruling Monday, Downs President Wathen Knebelkamp said the honor remained an open question. "There is no answer to that question at this time," he said. "We'll have to wait for the executive board's decision."

to him that Dancer's image was the winner.

Peter Fuller, Boston millionaire owner of the grey colt, also expressed a desire to carry the matter further. He said he would confer with his attorneys regarding any additional legal action.

But Fuller said Dancer's Image "ran the last quarter on May 4 at Churchill Downs with all his ability and heart to finish the course," and added, "can I as his owner and friend do less."

In barring Dancer's Image from the derby purse, the commission upheld the Churchill Downs' stewards' ruling based on a post-race chemical test which indicated the horse had been given an illegal dose of phenylbutazone, or a derivative thereof.

State chemist Kenneth Smith conducted that test and the appeal hearing before the commission Nov. 18 through Dec. 7 revolved around testimony concerning the test.

Fuller said he was "not surprised" by the commission's decision Monday.

"If they had decided in our favor they would have had to repudiate their own employee (Smith) and this would have been very difficult for them to do," he said.

"Of course I'm disappointed," Fuller added.



ROOKIE OF YEAR—Paul Robinson, a rookie running back for the Cincinnati Bengals was chosen the American Football League "Rookie of the Year" by United Press International. Robinson received 25 of the 30 votes cast by a board of UPI sportswriters. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

Top AFL Yearling

Robinson Rare Kind of Rookie

By GARY KALE
UPI Sports Writer

NEW YORK (UPI)—Paul Robinson went to junior college on a basketball scholarship, transferred to the University of Arizona as a track star and stands today as the United Press International Rookie of the Year in the American Football League.

Robinson, a trim 6-1, 198 pounds, has the power of a 105mm howitzer as he sights in on the defensive secondary and explodes past the safeties. A third-round choice of the expansion Cincinnati Bengals, Robinson was an instant hit in the AFL. He is a tireless runner and given to whacking the line on successive carries which sometimes number eight or nine in a row.

2nd 1,000-Yarder
Robinson became only the second rookie in the league to grind out 1,000 yards in a season, accomplishing the task against the New York Jets in his final game of the season. His total of 1,023 put him in a category with Cookie Gilchrist as the only players in the AFL to rush for a thousand yards in their rookie season.

A shy youngster who is quick to praise his teammates or even the opposition when credit is forthcoming, received 25 votes of the 30 cast by league sportswriters. Robert Holmes of Kansas City, runner-up to Robinson in rushing with 866 yards, collected the other five votes.

"I've still got a lot to learn," admits Robinson. "But I'm picking up that change of pace when I run and I'm beginning to look around for my spots when I break through the hole."

Robinson found his spot on Oct. 27 against Oakland when he broke through the vaunted Raider defense and went 87 yards for a touchdown, longest

run from scrimmage in the AFL this season.

Track Helped Him

"Track helped me with my speed," Robinson explains. He set a hurdles record at Arizona before he was induced to try out for the Wildcat football team.

Robinson's "big game" in college was against Ohio State. Arizona scored a 14-7 win over the Buckeyes, who this year had a perfect season going into the 1969 Rose Bowl game.

From flanker and halfback in college, Robinson was converted to a fullback by Bengals coach Paul Brown, an expert on positioning his players.

Robinson scored eight touchdowns in his rookie year. A 14-yard TD rush against New York put him over the thousand mark and drew praise from a Jets

squad that wound up first in rushing defense.

Cincinnati counted on Robinson. The Bengals counted 238 times, the number of carries by the rookie. He averaged 4.3 yards per attempt and furthered Brown's reputation as a developer of talent.

Hayes Held to 15

San Diego's Rocket Big Fizzle in Frisco

By United Press International

One of San Diego's rockets fizzled Monday night. To make matters worse it was the club's most potent operative, Elvin Hayes, the National Basketball Association scoring leader.

Hayes was held to a mere 15 points, half his game average this season, as the San Francisco Warriors moved within a half game of third place in the Western Division.

Rudy LaRusso was the Warriors' big gun with 30 points and Jeff Mullins assisted with 24. Don Kojis' 18 points paced San Diego in the league's only game.

Ten straight points in the second quarter helped San Francisco overcome a 26-20 first period deficit and push the Warriors into a 53-44 halftime lead.

SAN DIEGO (85) VS SAN FRANCISCO (125)				
	G	F	T	Pct
Adelman	0	0	0	0
Barnes	3	1	2	50
Barrett	3	0	0	0
Block	2	1	2	50
Finkel	0	0	0	0
Hayes	5	3	13	23
Kimball	4	2	4	50
Kojis	6	6	18	33
Lantz	3	2	3	67
Riley	4	0	2	0
Trapp	0	0	0	0
A. Williams	3	4	9	44

Totals	33	29	49	95
Score by quarters:	26	18	23	28
San Diego	20	33	44	28
San Francisco	26	18	23	28

NBA Standings

EAST				
	w	l	pct	gb
Baltimore	26	7	.780	—
Philadelphia	23	9	.719	2 1/2
Boston	21	10	.677	4
Cincinnati	20	12	.625	5 1/2
New York	20	17	.541	8
Detroit	11	20	.353	14
Milwaukee	10	25	.286	17

WEST				
	w	l	pct	gb
Los Angeles	24	10	.706	—
Atlanta	19	15	.559	5
San Diego	15	20	.429	9 1/2
San Francisco	15	21	.417	10
Chicago	13	22	.371	11 1/2
Seattle	13	24	.351	12 1/2
Phoenix	8	26	.233	16

Monday's Results
San Francisco 125 San Diego 95
(only game scheduled)

No Games Tonight

There is no basketball activity scheduled tonight, this first Tuesday since the 1968-69 basketball season got underway.

Several area teams are awaiting the annual rash of holiday tournaments and do not resume regular play until after New Year's.

Kingston High travels to Oneonta for a Friday-Saturday tournament involving Oneonta High and two other schools yet to be announced.

State University Hawks of New Paltz will compete in a four-team holiday event at Danbury, Conn. The Hawks play Westfield, Conn. in one bracket of the opener, with host Western Connecticut taking on Kings College in the other.

Three counties will be represented in the second annual Marlboro Tournament on Friday and Saturday. In addition to host Marlboro Central the competing squads are Chester and Cornwall of Orange County and Red Hook of Dutchess County Scholastic League.

Orange Matmen Cop Colt Event

MIDDLETOWN — Wrestlers from Orange County Community College captured five of the last six weight classes here Saturday (Dec. 21) to win their own first Colt Invitational Wrestling Tournament.

The strong finish pushed the Orangemen past Corning Community College of Corning, N. Y. in the final team standings. OCCC won with 82 points. Corning had 76, Essex Community College of Essex, Maryland was third with 39 and Adirondack Community College of Glen Falls, N. Y. had 28.

OCCC trailed Corning after the first five championship round matches, but the near sweep of the heavier weights, sparked by Orangemen Nick Urso's 52-second pin of Corning's Jim Carr at 191 pounds, brought the victory. The Colt tournament was almost a carbon copy of last year's Nassau Invitational on Long Island in which OCCC beat Corning, 72-71, for the title.

Rick Wilt of Orange County was voted the outstanding wrestler of the one-day event. Normally a 123-pounder, Wilt wrestled in the 137-pound division and took that crown with successive decisions over Adirondack's Peter Wolstencroft, 10-4, and Corning's David Quatrone, 13-5.



An Early Merry Christmas, "Ho, Ho, Ho" for Texas-El Paso

By HERSCHEL NISSENSEN
Associated Press Sports Writer

It's a Merry Christmas layoff today and Wednesday for the nation's college basketball teams but the University of Texas-El Paso celebrated prematurely Monday night by having the last "Ho, Ho, Ho" on the New Mexico Lobos.

The unranked Miners, four-point loser to New Mexico in their first meeting, turned the tables on the sixth-ranked Lobos with a 71-67 victory that left both teams with 8-2 records.

The only other team in The Associated Press' new Top Ten to see action, ninth-rated Santa Clara, breezed to an 86-62 triumph over Gonzaga.

Texas-El Paso trailed New Mexico 47-41 at halftime and 64-55 with nine minutes when they started a surge that kept the Lobos scoreless over the final seven minutes.

Mike Switzer and Ples Vann sparked the outburst with four quick points and Tom Issac added a jump shot. New Mexico then scored its final points on a basket by Petie Gibson and a free throw by Leonard Lopez with 7:08 left.

The Miners ran off 10 straight points and ate up most of the final four minutes with a stall. Switzer paced the Miners with 23 points and Nate Erchibald added 20.

Santa Clara had little trouble with Gonzaga. The unbeaten Broncos rolled to a 44-26 halftime lead and coasted to their seventh victory of the season and 21st straight regular season triumph.

High-scoring Bud Ogden was held to seven points, all from the foul line, but his brother, Ralph, picked up the slack with 23 and 6-foot-9 Dennis Awtry added 18 and grabbed 15 rebounds.

Dave Sorenson scored a career high 32 points but 16th-ranked Ohio State needed four late points by sophomore Jim Clemons to hold off Butler 74-

71. Butler made up an 11-point deficit before dropping its fifth game to a Big Ten opponent.

Elsewhere, Arizona scored the first 12 points of the second half and turned back Nebraska 68-63. All five starters were in double figures as Houston overcame a six-point halftime deficit and downed Bowling Green 91-80. Olie Taylor paced the Cougars with 21 points.

Tulsa ran up a 45-34 halftime lead and outlasted Bradley 81-79 in a Missouri Valley Conference game. Tulsa's Bobby Smith had 33 points but game honors went to Bradley's L.C. Bowen, one of the country's top marksmen, with 32.

Syracuse staved off Brigham Young 77-73 despite six straight

baskets in the late going by the losers' Scott Warner. Another hot shooter in defeat was Creighton's Bob Portman, who tied the school record with 19

points but couldn't prevent an 89-83 loss to Weber State.

Dan Sadlier pumped in 22 points and held Los Angeles Loyola's high-scoring Jim Hadlerlein to 12 in Dayton's easy 83-58 victory. Michigan blasted Utah 111-74 as Rudy Tomjanovich and Dan Fife combined for 50 points.

Minnesota whipped San Diego State 73-60 behind Al Muness' 21 points and Northwestern, 6-1, routed Washington State 77-61 as Don Adams scored 22 points and Dale Kelley 20.

Oklahoma broke a four-game losing by beating Southwest Missouri, the nation's No. 6 small college team, 65-57.

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UCCC Draws Essex for First Round Foe

Ulster County Community College Senators will play powerful Essex County CC of New York, N. J., in the second game of the doubleheader which opens the UCCC Holiday Basketball Festival Friday at the municipal auditorium according to pairings announced today.

In the opener, the Long Island Aggies will play Cobleskill Tech starting at 7 p. m., Coach Mike Perry of UCCC said. The Senators-Essex contest is scheduled for 8:30 p. m.

On Saturday night, the two losers from the first round play in a consolation game starting at 7 o'clock. The two first round winners clash in the championship finals at 8:30 p. m.

Coach Perry said a trophy will be presented to the championship team and trophies will go to members of an all-star squad selected from the members of the four colleges competing in the annual classic.

Aggies Are 4-2

The basketball team at the State University Agricultural and Technical College at Farmingdale, L. I., known as the Long Island Aggies, is making its debut in the UCCC tournament.

Coached by George Matola, the Aggies have won four of their first six games this season.

The team's high scorers are Ron Baxter, 6-foot, and Tim

Quinn, 5-10, who have been averaging 18 points a game. Coach Matola feels either one is capable of scoring 30 or more points on a given night.

The coach feels the Aggies are "beginning to jell" as a team is hopeful they will crest for the local tourney.

Hisert Is Coach

The Cobleskill team is coached by Gerald Hisert, whose wife is a member of the Silvestri family in Kingston. He formerly coached at the State University College at Albany and is now in his third year at Cobleskill.

Leading scorers on the Cobleskill squad are 6-foot Domingo Williams, who has been averaging 18 points a game and 6-foot-7 Dave Pierisma, who owns a 15-point average at this stage of the season.

The towering Pierisma and 6-2 Eugene Simien are the team's leading rebounders.

Coach Hisert said his starting five is not experienced, but has a lot of speed. He calls Williams, 6-1 Ed Holmes and 5-10 John Connors the team "hustlers."

UCCC, meanwhile, is waiting to hear whether or not rebounder Gary Kirkwood, who was injured in the St. John's contest, will be available for the tournament.



COBLESKILL TECH squad, one of the four teams participating in the annual Ulster County Community College Christmas basketball tournament Friday and Saturday. Front row (L-R) Eugene Simien, Ray Hamlin, Dave Pierisma, Gary Nichols, Kim Bellis and Ed Holmes. Back row: Coach Harold Hisert, Errol Jones, Quentin Driskin, Ralph Edwards, Domingo Williams, Robert Hatcher and John Connor.

They Rewarded Namath For On Field Heroics

By MURRAY CHASS
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Joe Namath, whose \$5,000 mink coat and \$10,000 Fu Manchu mustache made him the center of attention off the field, was named the American Football League's Most Valuable Player today—for what he did on the field.

Namath, who leads the New York Jets into Sunday's championship game against Oakland, was an overwhelming choice in the voting by an Associated Press panel of 30 sports writers and sportscasters, three in each AFL city.

He received 15 votes while eight players shared the other 15.

Lance Alworth of San Diego was runner-up with four votes, Bob Griese of Miami had three, Len Dawson of Kansas City and John Hadl of San Diego two each and Oakland's Daryle Lamonica, George Sauer of New

York, Paul Robinson of Cincinnati and Kansas City's Bob Holmes one each.

In sparking the Jets to their first Eastern Division title, Namath didn't pass for as much yardage or for as many touchdowns this year as last—he completed 49 per cent of his passes for 3,147 yards and 15 TDs.

But he developed his ability to move the team to a level he hadn't reached in his first three seasons.

Two striking examples show why Namath was such a clear choice for the MVP award (in a poll of AFL coaches he also was named player of the year).

In the season opener at Kansas City, the Jets were leading 20-19 with nearly six minutes left in the game, but they were at their own five-yard line with third down and 11 yards to go.

While the Chiefs envisioned getting the ball on a punt and marching in for the winning score, Namath hit Don Maynard

with a 16-yard pass for a first down, and the Jets went on to hold the ball for the rest of the game.

"I thought nobody in the world could do that to us," said Coach Hank Stram of Kansas City.

Five weeks later, after dropping two out of their previous three games for a 3-2 record, the Jets were trailing Houston 14-13 in the closing minutes of the game. A loss very easily could have had a permanently damaging effect on their title chances.

But Namath, remaining cool as always, completed four consecutive passes for 53 yards and moved the team 80 yards in eight plays over-all for the winning score that came with 48 seconds left.

That was quite a performance by a guy who the week before had five passes intercepted. Then, too, the season-long performance wasn't too bad for a guy who has two bad knees.



EAGER BEAVERS—Thousands of enthusiastic Cleveland Brown fans line up at ticket windows to purchase tickets for the NFL championship between the Browns and Baltimore Colts Sunday at Cleveland. The game will be played to sudden death, if necessary. (UPI TELEPHOTO)

U.S. Skiers to Europe

ASPEN, Colo. (AP) — Bolstered by two impressive victories over the French and Canadians, the U.S. ski team heads for Europe and the first round of rugged meets on the continent.

Mike Lafferty, a University of Colorado skier from Eugene, Ore., sailed out of the pack Monday and won the downhill at the Alpine Holiday Classic ski meet here, the last tune-up before European competition.

The meet, billed as a Canadian-American match, turned out to be nearly all Stars and Stripes when the U.S. team swept the men's and women's slalom, giant slalom and downhill trophies. Only four Canadians finished in the top 10 in Monday's downhill races for women and men.

Erica Skinger of Stowe, Vt.,

and Ann Black of Seattle, finished in a dead heat for the women's downhill title at Aspen. Earlier, Miss Skinger placed second in the slalom. She was disqualified on the giant slalom course Sunday.

Coach Gordon Eaton and his team will compete in a Jan. 3-4 match at Berchtesgaden, West

Germany and Jan. 7-10 at Grindelwald, Switzerland.

Sport Shorts

Men's team members: Billy Kidd, Stowe, Vt.; Hank Kishiwa, Old Forge, N. Y.; Jere Elliot, Steamboat Springs, Colo.; Spider Sabich, Kyburz, Calif.; Rich Chaffee, Rutland, Vt.; Jim Barrows, Steamboat Springs; Dennis McCoy, Bishop, Calif.; Mike Lafferty, Eugene, Ore.; Lance and Eric Poulsen, Squaw Valley, Calif.; and Bobby Cochran, Richmond, Vt.

Women's team members: Kiki Cutter, Bend, Ore.; Erica Skinger, Stowe; Judy and Cathy Nagel, Enumclaw, Wash.; Barbara and Marilyn Cochran, Richmond; Karen Budge, Laraine, Wyo.; Lory Quest, Edina, Minn.; Rosie Fortna, Warren, Vt.; Penny McCoy, Bishop, Calif.; Penny Northrup, Elliptonville, N.Y.; and Ann Black, Seattle.

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By HAL BOCK
Associated Press Sports Writer

The New York Jets and Baltimore Colts emerged as the early favorites today in the American and National Football League championship games set for Sunday.

The Jets ruled as three-point picks over the Oakland Raiders in the AFL game and the Colts were rated six points over Cleveland's Browns in the NFL game.

It was a situation that didn't exactly bother the underdogs. That's because both Cleveland and Oakland upset the odds-makers last weekend, knocking off favorites to reach pro football's semifinal showdown Sunday.

The Browns beat favored Dallas 31-20 to win the NFL's Eastern Conference title and the Raiders walloped Kansas City 41-6 to take the AFL's Western Division crown.

And both clubs are confident they can beat the opposition the odds-makers gave them.

"These guys have a lot of pride," said quarterback Daryle Lamonica of his Oakland teammates. "New York is tough and

we'll have to play our best to win."

Lamonica hosted a champagne party for his teammates Monday and the Raiders only hope it was a prelude to an even bigger party after Sunday's title game.

It was Lamonica's pinpoint passing to flanker Fred Biletnikoff that broke Sunday's game against the Chiefs open. Biletnikoff was jarred late in the game and had to leave but is expected to begin working out with the rest of the Raiders today for Sunday's game.

The Jets were interested observers in Lamonica's work on the Chiefs and Walt Michaels, New York's defensive back coach, indicated that what they saw might cause some changes in coverage plans.

"We've played zone about half the time and man-to-man the other half," said Michael. "But we may have two new coverages for this game."

Michaels and the Jets were concerned not only with Biletnikoff, who caught seven passes for 180 yards and three touchdowns, but with Warren Wells (four-for-93 yards and two TDs) as well.

"They're both fine receivers,"

Davis Cup Captains Honing That Needle

ADELAIDE, Australia (AP) — The rival U.S. and Australian captains engage in needling warfare today on the eve of the Davis Cup Challenge Round to decide the top tennis nation of the world.

Donald Dell, 30-year-old Washington D.C., attorney, chided the Aussies' veteran Harry Hopman on his choice of a squad and hinted Hopman is trying to lull the Yanks into overconfidence with heavy emphasis on 17-year-old John Alexander.

Hopman, captaining the Australians for the 21st time in a remarkable career showing a record of 16 victories and four defeats, put subtle pressure on the heavily favored Americans by saying only a super-human effort by the Australians can pull off a triumph.

Thus if the Australians win, Hopman emerges as something of a miracle man who probably

will be knighted for his achievement.

Dell will toss in the names of his seasoned stars, Arthur Ashe Jr. and Clark Graebner Wednesday in the draw at Memorial Courts. The first name is to be plucked at 15:30 local time (1 a.m., EST).

The Australians are expected to name left-hander Ray Ruffels and Australian champion Bill Bowrey, who are experienced overseas competitors although neither has ever played in a Davis Cup match.

There is a chance Hopman may spring a surprise and name teen-ager Alexander, a tall, skinny youngster with one of the most potent services in the game.

The opening two singles matches start at 13:15 local time Thursday (10:45 p.m., EST, Wednesday) with the doubles at 14:00 local time (11:30 p.m., EST) Friday and the final singles in reverse order Saturday.

Hayes 30.5 Is Tops In NBA Averages

NEW YORK (UPI)—Elvin Hayes is the "grand old man" of the National Basketball Association today.

Although only 23-year-old, Hayes matured quickly as a pro and became the first player to score 1,000 points during the 1968-69 season.

Acting the sensational rookie bit in the manner of a Wilt Chamberlain, Hayes has a total of 1,037 points. The San Diego Rockets newcomer also moved into second place as the latest challenger to Chamberlain's domain. Hayes has 603 rebounds to the league-leading 698 pulled down by the Los Angeles Lakers skyscraper.

Chamberlain is first in field goal percentages with a .585 mark. Adrian Smith of Cincinnati leads in free throws with an .864 percentage and Len Wilkens continues as assists leader on 318 scoring feeds through last Sunday's games.

Bob Rule of Seattle is second in scoring with 891 points and

Cincinnati's Oscar Robertson follows with 844.

The individual scoring leaders:

Player	pts avg
1. Hayes, San Diego	34.11 215 1037 30.5
2. Rule, Seattle	37.350 191 891 24.1
3. Robertson, Cincinnati	31.278 288 844 27.2
4. Baylor, Los Angeles	31.315 197 827 26.7
5. Monroe, Baltimore	33.322 173 817 24.8
6. Wilkens, Seattle	37.280 257 817 22.1
7. Kojis, San Diego	34.281 181 789 22.6
8. Cunningham, Philadelphia	32.279 210 768 24.0
9. D. Van Arsdale, Phoenix	34.278 209 765 22.5
10. Goodrich, Phoenix	34.278 205 765 22.4

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said Michaels. "If you let one go, you'll get the other. They're good, consistent receivers."

While Walt Michaels' championship game job is strictly coaching, his brother, Lou, will play a more active role. He is the place kicker for the Baltimore Colts.

The Colts enjoyed the favorite role against the Browns despite the fact that Cleveland was the only team to beat Baltimore during the regular season. The score was 30-20 and the Browns did it with some opportunistic interceptions against Johnny Unitas, who relieved Earl Morrall with the Colts down 14-7 at halftime.

Since then, though, Morrall has established himself as Baltimore's No. 1 signal caller and it would take more than a one TD deficit to get him out of the line-up.

LeRoy Kelly gained 130 yards rushing against the Colts in the first meeting between the two teams and the way quarterback Bill Nelsen talked Monday, Baltimore can expect to see plenty of Kelly again.

"We must run more against them than the Vikings did," said Nelsen, analyzing Baltimore's 24-14 victory over Minnesota in Sunday's Western playoff.

Kelly picked up 87 yards on the ground in Cleveland's upset over Dallas and Nelsen indicated that he would lean to the successful running game.

"If we work at things as we have been," the Cleveland quarterback said, "we can get the job done."

The job, for all four pro football clubs, starts today with preparations beginning in earnest for Sunday's games.

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Now, however, there is a major threat to destroy a significant portion of the Upper Hudson, a portion which includes valuable forests and lakes of the State Forest Preserve, a section close to the center of the Adirondack Park.

The New York State Water Resources Commission has issued an engineering report listing the proposed "Goody No. 1 Dam" to be constructed a short distance below the confluence of the Indian River with the Hudson.

Costing more than \$57 million the proposed "millpond" would require 16,000 acres of land, of which 14,500 acres would be flooded. The use of the reservoir, more than 25 miles long, has been listed by the Commission as "municipal and industrial water supply, power and recreation."

An amendment to Article XIV of the state constitution would be necessary before construction, although several members of the Water Resources Committee believe such an amendment is not needed. (Reminds us of some of those school budgets and consolidation votes shaded over local taxpayers' eyes).

GONE WOULD BE SOME of the best trout fishing to be found anywhere in the state. The dam also would flood miles of winter deer yards plus the rest of the fur bearers, such as mink, otter, fisher and bobcats which provide a revenue for natives during the trapping season.

Several Ulster County sportsmen own camps in the area which could be washed off the map, especially in the Newcomb sector, including the village where 50 feet of water will rise if the dam is built.

We salute the efforts of all our northern friends and the Adirondack-Hudson River Association for taking action designed to maintain the natural free flowing character of the Hudson within the Adirondack Park. They need support, so how's about a letter to your lawmakers letting them know your opinions.

Incidentally, you can bet your Christmas socks that New York City has its fingers in the pie for another water land grab and, if you've visited the big city, you know there are plenty of substitutes for water down there.

Two of our friends, Ab Hall and Bun Arndt are willing to take all interested persons on a tour of the area via snowshoes on a 15-mile hike over some of the finest parts of the Adirondack Park. Both are licensed guides and may be reached at Indian Lake. And we might add, you better be in shape to follow these "youngsters."

THINGS WE HOPE ARE TRUE: It is reported the New York State Senate is readying a bill which would wipe out "suspended sentences" to persons convicted of a crime involving a gun. It could be now they are doing something right. Amen!

To the TV bug whose wife thinks those Sunday football games are a colossal bore, a surefire respite is "The American Sportsman", an excellent show which returns to ABC Sunday, Jan. 26, with Phil Harris hunting the cagey pheasant in Pennsylvania and Rick Jason trying for a grizzly bear in British Columbia. It's a tough way to make a buck and we doubt we'll ever see the day of making a living at this trade.

It would be no surprise if Santa left one of his reindeer at Al Kwein's up Blue Mountain way, after another blank this past season. Hang in there, Al, we know a sports editor who is looking for a hole-in-one and remember, Al, that big hole in the ground doesn't move like a deer.

If you don't think big game hunting is growing, how's about the more than 2,000 licenses issued by the Spada boys at their Broadway sport shop. Wonder, if we can look forward to lower fees with sales like this. (This is a mahogany ridge dream).

Had a nice visit from Lou Turck recently, plus real tender venison steak, and an early invitation for a shad drift. Can spring be far behind?

OLD RIP SEZ: Did you check under the bed or in that what-not closet for your new fly rod or .30-06. Maybe, you'll find a new pair of socks, new pants, boots or waders which you haven't seen since last spring.

Schoneman Blasts 683 at Saugerties

SAUGERTIES — Bob Schoneman, who recently set the seasonal scoring record with a 759 blast, continued to blitz the pins in the Bowlers Club Major Monday night.

He opened with 258 and added 221, 204 for a 683 set, giving him a 240-plus average in his last six games in the league.

Runnerup was Mike Dodig, another big "700" shooter with 676 off 204, 214, 244.

Other qualifiers included Mike Barber 659-234, 228; Jack Farrell 647-235, 222; Ed Mensching 613-215, 215; Angelo Fondino 605-203, 210; and Dom Ferraro 601-205, 201.

Jim Farrell converted the 4-6 split and Schovel's Tree Experts wrapped up team scoring honors with 2978, 1029, 1023.

Team results: Schovel's Tree Experts 3; Beadle's Pharmacy 0; Rizzo's Masonry 2; Peerless Paper 1; Macarelli Amusement 1; Johnson Ford 2; Cialante's Trucking 3; A. J. Scarcelli 0.

Woman's Invite: MARION SANFORD 556-234, Anne Hinkley 554-202, Fran Eckerlein 533, Lorraine Wallack 516, Louise Colombo 222 solo; Team Results: Flamingo Restaurant 2; Liguori's Restaurant 1; Tommie's Restaurant 2; Kingston Glass Company 1; DeMico Motors 2; Roland A. Augustine 1; Orchid Shoppe 2; Gene Whalen Restaurant 1.

Ferrocube Mixed: DAN DARGAN 574-221, Ernie Jones 552, Mike Grobiac 537, Roland Hommel 526, Ruth Bach 502.

IBM Planettes: JAN VELTRIE 512, Alice Keenan 490, Barbara Kurts-weg 487, Louise Know 212.

Friday Nite Fun: JOE LUKAZEWSKI 564-203, Connie Roth 549-201, Duane Baxter 544-213, Edna Heldron 502.

By MURRAY OLDERMAN
(NEA Sports Editor)

NEW YORK (NEA)—On Earl Morrall's second official pass of the 1968 season, a huge San Francisco 49er tackle named Roland Lakes rose up and batted the ball into the air before it crossed the line of scrimmage. The ball nestled in the arms of Stan Hindman, a 49er end, who galloped 25 uninterrupted yards to the end zone.

That was the debut. Earl Morrall, who doesn't show emotion, let his dimpled chin droop slackly. It was, he said later, one of the most miserably moments of his football life.

This is the denouement: Earl Morrall, a substitute in nine of his first 12 years as a professional quarterback, was today acclaimed the outstanding player in the National Football League—the recipient of the 14th annual Jim Thorpe Trophy. He was chosen for the honor through a poll taken by Newspaper Enterprise Association of all the players in the NFL.

In 13th Season: In his 13th season, the 34-year-old quarterback of the Baltimore Colts was new both to his job and his teammates when he threw that costly interception in the opening game.

The Colts needed convincing this was the man who could lead them instead of the great

Poll Sweep For UCLA

UCLA's mighty Bruins drew perfect scores in both Associated Press and United Press International rating polls today.

The 35-member UPI coaches rating board gave the powerful Bruins every first place vote, as the Uclans accumulated a perfect score of 350 points in the balloting based on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis.

North Carolina, UCLA's top challenger, gained ground in the balloting by getting 310 points, although the unbeaten Tar Heels failed to get a first place vote.

Davidson, Villanova and Kentucky remained third, fourth and fifth in both polls. UCLA picked up all 42 first place votes and a perfect 840 score in the AP ratings.

The top twenty in each poll:

AP Top 20	
The Top 20, with first place votes, records and total points.	
1. UCLA (42)	5-0 840
2. North Carolina	6-0 744
3. Davidson	5-0 626
4. Kentucky	5-1 561
5. Villanova	5-0 568
6. New Mexico	8-1 325
7. Notre Dame	5-1 302
8. Kansas	8-1 290
9. Santa Clara	6-0 268
10. Cincinnati	6-1 227
11. Detroit	8-0 220
12. Illinois	7-0 184
13. St. Bonaventure	5-1 125
14. Louisville	7-0 110
15. New Mex. St.	7-0 97
16. Ohio State	4-1 78
17. LaSalle	6-0 66
18. Purdue	5-2 51
19. Wyoming	7-0 36
20. Tennessee	5-1 23

NEW YORK (UPI)—The top 20 major college basketball teams picked by the UPI coaches rating board in parenthesis: votes and season records in parenthesis:

Team	
1. UCLA (38) (5-0)	350
2. North Carolina (4-0)	310
3. Davidson (5-0)	290
4. Kentucky (5-1)	270
5. Villanova (5-0)	260
6. Santa Clara (4-0)	250
7. Notre Dame (5-1)	240
8. Kansas (4-1)	230
9. Cincinnati (6-1)	220
10. Illinois (7-0)	210
11. St. Bonaventure (5-1)	200
12. Louisville (7-0)	190
13. New Mex. St. (7-0)	180
14. Ohio State (4-1)	170
15. LaSalle (6-0)	160
16. Purdue (5-2)	150
17. Dayton (6-1)	140
18. Ohio State (4-1)	130
19. Purdue (5-2)	120
20. Southern California (5-3)	110

Nagle Raps 660, Leads Miderama

Nick Nagle blasted a 660 off games of 242 and 227 to take top honors in the Miderama league, Saturday night.

Tiber Tomshaw's 590 off 202 took the second spot as Charlie Brown was a close third with 589-222, 212.

Team results: Low's Pools 2; Schryver's Mugs 2; Hurley Haven No. 1 (2); Bob Teetzel's Tavern 1; Wayside No. 1 (1); Hurley Haven "Fleas" 2; Jake's 2; By-Pass 1; Wayside No. 2 (2); Hurley Haven Jungle 1; Corner Rest 1; Hurley Haven No. 2 (2).

Other qualifiers included: Sally Kopp 512, Lucille Steen 501, Mary Gibbons 211, Jean Ashley 212, Liz Smith 201.

Results: Herdman's Roofing 0, Adele Royall Estate 3; Utica Club 2; State of New York National Bank 1; H&H Construction 2; Tommie's Rest 1; Siller Beef 1, Rotron 2.

Dot Crantz powered a 595 series with games of 201, 193 and 201 in the Sangi's Women's Classic. Runnerup was Gloria Daley with 539-208.

Other qualifiers included: Sally Kopp 512, Lucille Steen 501, Mary Gibbons 211, Jean Ashley 212, Liz Smith 201.

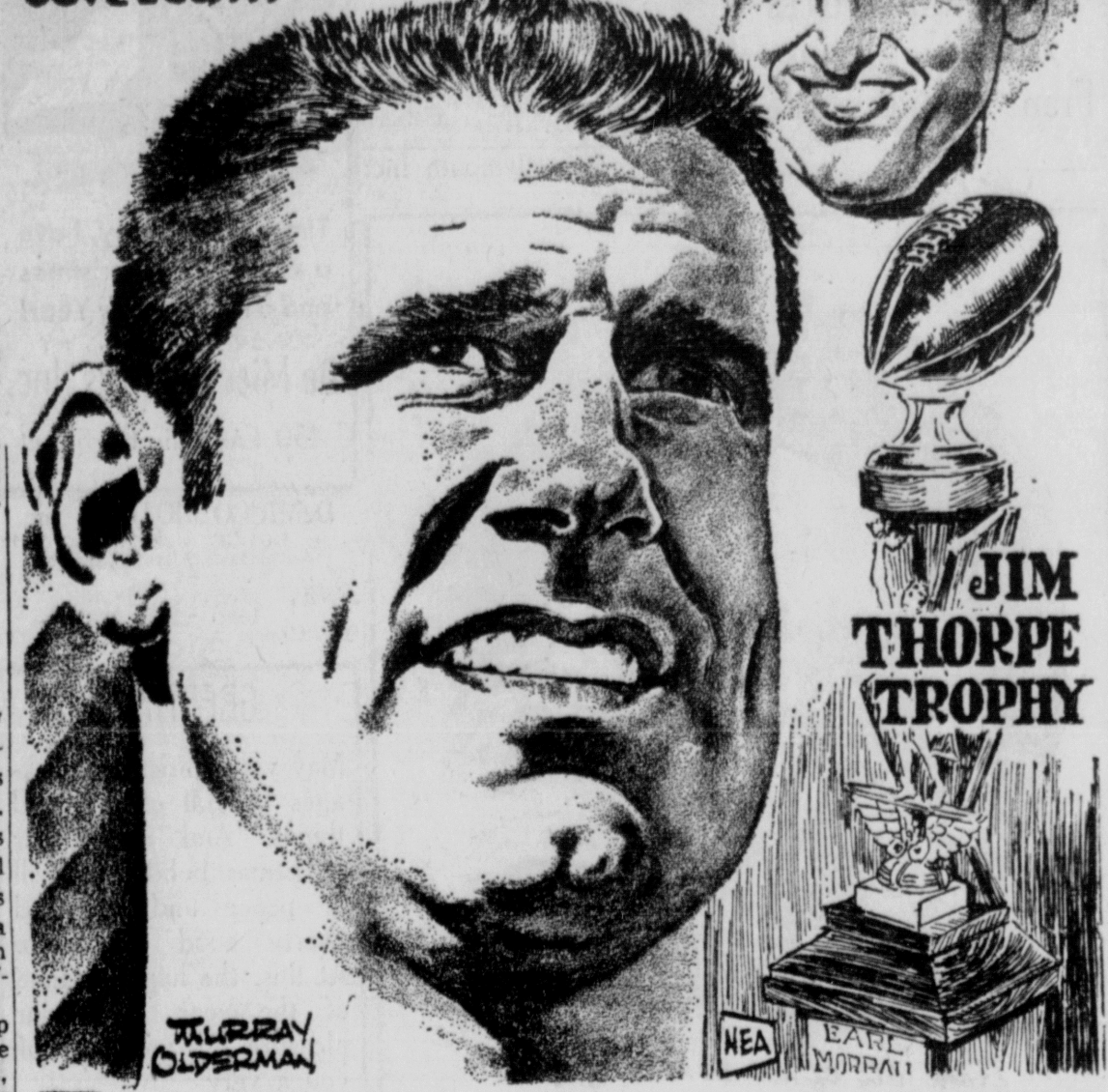
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Friday Nite Fun: JOE LUKAZEWSKI 564-203, Connie Roth 549-201, Duane Baxter 544-213, Edna Heldron 502.

John Unitas, ailing with tendon-league," admitted Shula, "but opportunities, he wasn't a consistent quarterback. Now with Coach Don Shula, who two weeks earlier had picked opportunities to win football games Morrall from the New York at Detroit (where Shula was an assistant coach), he produced." "I had a chance to get a But Shula also remembered couple of other guys in the that when Morrall had starting

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JIM THORPE TROPHY winner Earl Morrall will be featured on the NFL All-Pro one-hour show which will be televised nationally by CBS Sunday, Dec. 29 following the NFL championship game. Formal presentation of the Thorpe Trophy to Morrall will be made on Jan. 6 in a special ceremony in Hollywood City, Calif., and will be seen nationally at halftime in the Pro Bowl Game.

678 in Mixed League

Bob Glass set a new individual ins decked 570, Jim DeCicco 564-216, Bruce Hinkley 550-202, Len Sickler Jr. 549-206, John Lemon 546.

Harry Worden (208) and Joe St. George tied for runnersup honors with 574s. Mickey Burch-

Anne Hinkley's 503 led the distaff department, with Anne Sickler posting 487, Edna Van Demark 486, Gail Schultz 484.

Bowling Scores

Volunteer Firemen: LEN SICKLER 614-214, 202; Herm Sickler 543; Team Results: Wicks Fireballs 3, Wicks Engineers 0; Glasco No. 1 (2); Five Firemen 1; Hydrant Flushers 3, Spring Lake 0; Smokies 2, Hasbrouck Bombers 1; Union Hose 2, Tankers 1; Bloomington 2, Boosters 1; Sawkill 1, Brush Rabbits 2.

Independent Tavern: TOM HINES 638-243, 235; Bill Maisenhelder 628-204, 217, 207; Spike Miller 591, Luke Sheeley 582-201, 201; Tom Curtin 554; Champ Holstein 546-203. Team results: Fountain Lounge 1; Schryver's Mugs 2; Hurley Haven No. 1 (2); Bob Teetzel's Tavern 1; Wayside No. 1 (1); Hurley Haven "Fleas" 2; Jake's 2; By-Pass 1; Wayside No. 2 (2); Hurley Haven Jungle 1; Corner Rest 1; Hurley Haven No. 2 (2).

Woodstock Major: PAUL CROWELL 617-212, 222; Art Gribbins 609-246, Chuck Slate 604-213, Fred Allen 603-221, 203; John Searle 248, Bill Crosby 243, Phil Hancock 230; Safeway Vending—New High Single game record 1042, Team results: Safeway Vending 2, Hertz 1; Singer Denman 2, Pheasant Inn 1; Chord Lounge 3, State of New York National Bank 0; Dewitt Cadillac 3, Kurtas Restaurant 0.

Ivy: DOT VAN KEUREN 508, Edyth Phillips 502, Shirley McAfee 501, Ann VanDemark 481; Team Results: Beach Construction 2, Smith's I.G.A. 1; Bardi's Delicatessen 2, B and M Handyman 1; R and J Sunoco 2; Gabe's Fuel Service 1; Mr. Leonard's Hairstylists of Rosendale 2, Will-Mac Masonry 1; Ulster GGas 2, Happy Hour 1; Jo-Dee Hairstylists 3, Martona Insurance 0.

Premiere Rest 1, WGB Oil Clarifiers 2; Stan's Laundry 3, Morgan Hill Poultry Farm 0; Walnut Grove No. 1 (2), Elvie 1; Lowe's Pools 1, Sicklers Delivery 2; Captain's Table 1, Travis Sunoco 2; Ferrocube 2, Schultz Limousine 1; Denman's Insurance 3, Alpine Rest 0; Gold Star Rest 1, Walnut Grove No. 2 (2); Oehler's Mountain Lodge 0, Steven's Excavations 3; George's Auto Sales 2, DeLuca Cleaners 1.

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49ers, Morrall notched his first claim to the Jim Thorpe Trophy. The Colts, trailing 7-0, had driven deep into San Francisco territory, but it was third down and 11 on the 19 yard line. Morrall called for Ray Perkins, split left, to run a post pattern cutting toward the goal post in the middle of the field.

The Moment of Truth: As Morrall dropped back to pass, the 49er middle linebacker, Ed Beard, blitzed in without a hand touching him. The center was held up by another assignment. "Right then," said Shula, "Earl showed me something. Beard was in his face. Perkins hadn't made his move to the post yet when Earl was forced to release the ball. He really didn't know his receiver. Yet the ball was right on target, and Perkins made a diving catch to put us on the 1-yard line."

Tom Matte lunged over on the next play to tie the score. Then Earl Morrall threw two touchdown passes and drove the Colts within range for two field goals and a 27-10 triumph.

After that, it was all elation for Morrall this fall of 1968. As the Colts won 11 of their next 12 games, Earl threw 23 more scoring passes. In the only game they lost, to Cleveland, he was removed at halftime, and Unitas, his arm still bad, completed only one pass out of 11, had three intercepted, and put the game beyond salvation.

"The thing this guy (Morrall) has done," said Shula, "was fit into this football team, not only as a player, but as a leader."

Biggest Switch: And that's the biggest switch of all because Morrall had made a career out of being a mediocre quarterback, phlegmatic and uninspiring. The Colts were his fifth team in the NFL, and almost everywhere he played he had been supplanted as a regular—by Bobby Lane in Pittsburgh, Jim Ninowski and Milt Plum in Detroit, Francis Tarkenton in New York. In San Francisco, which had drafted him originally in 1956 as an All-American at Michigan State, he never got a chance behind Y. A. Tittle.

Now he has taken over the man generally recognized as the greatest of modern quarterbacks, Unitas. He kept the job while Johnny's arm improved, and he succeeded Unitas as the most valuable player in the league.

Leroy Kelly, the league-leading rusher who finished second to Unitas in the voting last year, was Morrall's only serious threat for the Jim Thorpe Trophy. He was named on 214 player ballots, 55 fewer than Morrall's 269. The Cleveland running back had his third straight 1,000 yard season.

In third place was Gale Sayers, the Chicago speedster who was injured in the ninth game of the season and yet made a tremendous impression.

St. Mary's of Kingston upended Immaculate Conception 47-15, Saturday, as Walt Houghtaling led the winners with 18 points.

In non-league games, Albany Boys Club No. 2 beat St. Joseph's No. (2) 22-11, while Albany's team No. 1 whipped St. Joseph's No. (1) 31-19.

The summaries: Immaculate Conception (15)—Duffy 5, Santobroski 4, Blign 1, Melnik 4, Kwasnowski 1, Myers, Wenzel, Giouenco, Tiano, McCormack.

St. Mary's of Kingston (47)—Kiernan 8, Murphy 2, Barton 10, Houghtaling 18, Brooks 2, Mercier 2, Addison 2, Miller 2, Vertetis, G. Perry, R. Perry, Scheffel 2.

Albany Boys Club (22)—Souza, Kipper, Harris 2, Jones 2, Royal 2, Horne, Smythe 16, Barton, Ray.

St. Joseph's Small Fry No. 2 (11)—Davis 2, Fagan 3, Martino, O'Reilly, Marnell 3, Guzewich, Lyle 3.

Albany Boys Club No. 1 (31)—Kipper 5, R. Green 4, S. Green 5, Harkins 1, Buton 6, Tamskley, Moremann 8, Johnson 2, Tanksley.

St. Joseph's Small Fry No. 1 (19)—Rafferty 1, Stall 1, Caprotti, Engel 2, Bentley 3, Albany 2, Manen 2, Dunham, S. Glyn 3, J. Glyn 5.

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Nixon Begins 10-Day Vacation; Slates Meeting

KEY BY AYNE, Fla. (UPI) — Welcomed by water borne carolers, President-elect Richard Nixon has begun a 10-day stay here billed as a vacation but which may include a decision on the pending nuclear nonproliferation treaty.

Nixon disclosed on his arrival in Florida Monday that he would meet Saturday on "matters of national security" with secretary of state-designate William P. Rogers, defense secretary-designate Melvin Laird, Henry Kissinger, the man who will serve as the president's adviser on national security affairs, Gen. Andrew Goodpaster, on loan to Nixon until Jan. 20, and Bryce Harlow, who has been tapped as Nixon's congressional liaison man.

Harlow's inclusion in the group suggests that one topic may be what to do about the nuclear treaty. President Johnson, has indicated he might press for a ratification before he leaves office on Jan. 20. If the pact is still before the Senate afterwards, Nixon will have to deal with it.

In either event, the question facing Nixon will be whether to throw his support behind immediate approval of the treaty. He has stated he favors the agreement but that the Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia forces the United States to hold up ratification until an "appropriate time."

Kripplebush

KRIPPLEBUSH — Elections were held recently during the December meeting of the Kripplebush-Lyonville Fire Company. Officers for 1969 were chosen as follows: Chief, Fred Myers; Assistant Chief, Robert Kelder Jr.; Captain, Kenneth Coddington; Lieutenant, Lester Judd; President, Frank Morgan; Vice President, John Vandemark; Secretary, Ronald Ross; Treasurer, George Zellner and Publicity Chairman, Michael Redmond.

The new trustees are Lester Judd, Edward Kelly, and Louis Redelberger. Members of the company who have recently reached the age of 60 years were appointed life members. They are Joseph Greenberg, Elmer Wager, George Jeffers, George Zellner, Alton Wells, Roger Bradley and Felix Krauss.

The next meeting of the fire company will be held Jan. 13 at 8 p.m. All members and men who would like to become members are urged to attend.

Several persons enjoyed the covered dish dinner Monday night at the firehouse dining hall by the Ladies' Auxiliary and the firemen. Also the children's Christmas party Friday night and the visit by Santa Claus who distributed gifts were well enjoyed.

There will be a candlelight carol sing at 7 p.m. Dec. 24 in the Roundout Valley Methodist Church. The public may attend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schwartz visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Fielder, at Seneca Lake, Sunday.

Dec. 29 is student recognition Sunday at the regular church hour, 9 a.m. Several students will have charge of the services and the public is invited to attend.

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC HEARING
Notice is hereby given that I, Raymond W. Garraghan, Mayor of the City of Kingston, New York, pursuant to Section 122 of the City Charter, will hold a Public Hearing on Thursday, December 26th, 1968, at 7:30 P. M. in the Common Council Chambers, City Hall, relative to the estimates for the Budget of the City of Kingston, for the fiscal year of 1969.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES IN TELEPHONE RATE SCHEDULES

Notice is hereby given that the following proposed changes in telephone rate schedules have been filed with the Public Service Commission to become effective January 1, 1969.

Connections of Subscriber-Provided Communications Systems
Subscriber-provided communications systems may be connected at a service point of the subscriber, on a voice grade basis, with the telephone exchange system, either through a network control signaling unit and connecting arrangement furnished, installed and maintained by the Telephone Company, or through subscriber-provided equipment which effects such connections externally to a Telephone Company network control signaling unit by means of an acoustic or inductive connection. The subscriber-provided system shall comply with minimum network protection criteria specified by the Telephone Company. Charges for the connecting arrangement referred to above are based on cost, and are in addition to all other applicable rates and charges for the service furnished.

A maintenance service charge of \$15.00 per service call shall apply for visits by the Telephone Company to the subscriber's premises where a service difficulty or trouble report results from subscriber-provided facilities connected to Telephone Company lines.

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Notice is hereby given that the following changes in the charges to be collected by hotels, motels, apartment houses, clubs and hospitals from guests, tenants, patrons and patients for intrastate toll calls sent from stations on the switchboard and on incoming collect calls to such stations have been filed with the Public Service Commission to be effective January 15, 1969:

Intrastate Toll Calls	Present Charges	Charges Effective
Where the charge is \$10 or less	Tariff charge plus a surcharge of 15¢ each	Charges Effective \$15.00
Where the charge is over \$10 but not over \$15.00	Tariff charge plus a surcharge of 20¢ each	Charges Effective \$20.00
Where the charge is over \$15.00	Tariff charge plus a surcharge of 25¢ each	Charges Effective \$25.00

These changes are in accordance with the Opinion in Case 24623, approved by the Commission on November 19, 1968.

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LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF ULSTER
FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF KINGSTON (formerly HOME-SEEKERS SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF KINGSTON, N.Y.) 235 Fair Street, Kingston, New York, Plaintiff,
against
WALTER WELLS, his wife, residing at Route 1, Ulster Park, New York, and EDWARD H. IDEN, GAS AND ELECTRIC CORPORATION, 607 Broadway, Kingston, New York, and NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY, 200 Broadway, New York, New York, and HELEN GARRABANT, residing at 37 Elmendorf Street, Kingston, New York, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

In PURSUANCE of a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly granted in the above entitled cause and entered in the Ulster County Clerk's Office on the 6th day of December, 1968, at 11:00 a.m., in the presence of the undersigned, Referee in said Judgment named, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Ulster County Court House in the City of Kingston, New York, on the 30th day of January, 1969, at 11:00 a.m., in the forenoon, the premises described in said Judgment as follows:

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND situated in the Town of Esopus, County of Ulster and State of New York, more particularly bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the southerly side of the Clay Road, the northeasterly corner of premises conveyed by Blanche Taylor McBroome and Nelson Harold Taylor to Joseph Thomas Pecora and Helen Pecora, his wife, by deed dated November 14, 1956 recorded in the Ulster County Clerk's Office in Book 938 of Deeds at page 238, running thence southerly along said premises of Pecora a distance of 133 feet more or less to an iron stake set in the ground at the southeasterly corner of said premises of Pecora and being on the northerly boundary of premises of the Estate of H. H. Van Aken; running thence easterly along said premises of the Estate of H. H. Van Aken a distance of 75 feet to a point; running thence northerly on a course parallel with the first course given herein a distance of 164 feet more or less to the southerly side of the Clay Road; running thence southerly along the southerly side of the Clay Road to the point and place of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed by Blanche Taylor McBroome and Nelson H. Taylor to Bernard R. Wells by deed dated May 10, 1952, in the Ulster County Clerk's Office in Liber of Deeds 1001 at page 303.

Dated at the City of Kingston, New York, this 6th day of December, 1968.

ROBERT SCHIRMER, Referee.
JOHN B. STERLEY, ESQ., Attorney for Plaintiff
Office and P. O. Address
235 Fair Street, Kingston, New York 12401

PROCLAMATION

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
To the Sheriff of the County of Ulster: HON. WILLIAM B. MARTIN

Whereas, a Trial Term of Supreme Court and Jail Delivery is to be held in and for the County of Ulster, at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, on Thursday the 2nd day of January, 1969.

We command you, in pursuance of Section 222-a of the Code of Criminal Procedure, in that said matter, to provide:

FIRST: That you summon the several persons who shall have been drawn in said County of Ulster, pursuant to law, to serve as Grand Jurors and Trial Jurors at the said Court to appear thereat.

SECOND: That you bring before the said Court all prisoners then being in the Jail of said County, together with all process and proceedings in any way concerning them in your hands as such Sheriff.

THIRD: That you make Proclamation, in the manner prescribed by Section 222-a of the Code of Criminal Procedure, notifying all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and other officers who have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at such Court, or who shall have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witness, to return such recognizance, inquisitions and examinations to the said Court at the opening thereof, on the first day of its sitting.

WITNESS, Hon. Louis G. Bruhn, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at the Court House in the City of Kingston this 10th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight.

JOSEPH P. TORRACA, District Attorney of the County of Ulster.

In pursuance of the above precept, I hereby make Proclamation that a term of Supreme Court of Ulster County and Jail Delivery will be held at the Court House in Kingston, in and for the County of Ulster, the 2nd day of January, 1969, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and all persons who will prosecute against persons confined in the Jail of said County are required to be then and there present, to proceed as may be just; and all persons bound to appear at the said Court by recognizance, or otherwise are required to appear thereat, and all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and other officers who may have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at the said Court, or who may have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witness, are required to return such recognizances, inquisitions and examinations on to the said Court at the opening thereof, at the first day of the sitting thereof, and to be then and there present with their rolls and records, indictments and remembrances to do those things which to their office pertain.

WILLIAM B. MARTIN, Sheriff of Ulster County
Dated: City of Kingston, December 10, 1968.

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Jersey Jury Convicts Two In Beating Death of Cop

ELIZABETH, N.J. (AP) — Two Negro defendants, including a woman, have been convicted of first degree murder and sentenced to life in prison in the beating death of a white policeman during 1967 racial disorders.

The jury of 10 men and two women, including one Negro man, Monday night convicted Miss Gail Madden, 22, and George Merritt Jr., 24, and acquitted two other Negroes, Donald Jones, 23, and Howard Brandon, 24.

The verdicts came after more than 53 hours of deliberation. When it was announced several spectators had to be taken, weeping, from the courtroom.

Except for Miss Madden, however, the defendants showed no sign of emotion. Miss Madden wept silently.

The jury was unable to reach a verdict and resumes deliberations today in the case of James Toland, 33.

The five defendants were among 11 Negroes, all of Plainfield, who were charged with murder in the July 16, 1967 slaying of Patrolman John V. Gleason Jr. Gleason died of a beating inflicted by a mob at the height of the racial disorders which swept Plainfield.

During the trial, state witnesses testified that they saw Merritt attack the Plainfield policeman with a meat cleaver or

butcher knife and identified Miss Madden, a large, stocky woman, who weighs more than 250 pounds, as the woman in a bright orange colored dress who was jumping up and down on the officer.

The life sentence normally carries the possibility of parole after about 14 years.

Miss Madden's attorney said he would appeal the verdict.

Youth Fined \$50 On Guilty Plea

Michael J. Hudela, 18, of 198 Washington Avenue, was fined \$50 Monday after pleading guilty to speeding and failure to comply with a police officer before City Judge Hubert A. Richter. Charges of operating a motor vehicle at a speed not reasonable and prudent, failure to keep to the right, passing a red light and passing a stop sign, were discharged in court.

Old Becomes New

SAN LUIS, Colo. (AP) — Colorado's oldest town has become its newest city. Residents voted 147-15 in favor of incorporation. The southern Colorado community was founded in 1851.

The Weather

TUESDAY, DEC. 24, 1968
Sun rises at 7:22 a. m.; sun sets at 4:28 p. m., EST.
Weather: Windy, Cold

The Temperature

The lowest temperature recorded on The Freeman thermometer during the night was 26 degrees. The highest figure recorded up to noon today was 33 degrees.

Weather Forecast

Lower Hudson Valley:
Upper Hudson Valley:

Variable cloudiness, windy and cold today, with scattered snow flurries mainly in the mountains. Highs, middle 20s to low 30s. Partly cloudy, windy and colder tonight, with lows mainly in the teens. Wednesday, mostly sunny and cold. Highs, 25 to 30.

Winds: westerly winds, 15 to 30 and gusty, today, becoming northwesterly tonight and variable, 10 to 18, Wednesday.

Outlook: Thursday, partly cloudy and milder.

Mohawk Valley:
Western Catskills:

Considerable cloudiness, windy and cold today, with occasional snow and snow flurries. Highs in the 20s to near 30. Partly cloudy winds and colder tonight, with few snow flurries. Lows, 5 to 15. Wednesday, fair to partly cloudy and continued cold, with highs mainly in the 20s.

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Northeastern New York:

Considerable cloudiness, windy and cold today, with occasional snow and snow flurries. Snow squalls likely in Lewis and St. Lawrence counties, with blowing and drifting conditions.



GIFTS FOR VETERANS—Students from West Hurley Elementary School's Fifth grade have been working on a class project to purchase gifts for hospitalized veterans with the assistance of the Hurley Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 5086 and Kingston VFW Post 1386. Students Leslie Rice (R) and Charles Maltese present gifts to (from left) Vincent Schrader Sr., Commander of the Kingston post and Clarence R. Jansen of the Hurley post. With them is the Fifth Grade teacher, Miss Marcia Landers. The student made pine cone Christmas trees (shown in foreground) and sold them to purchase gifts for the veterans. (Freeman photo by Krub.)

Labor Spokesman
ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Career state employee Abe Lavine, who was a deputy director in the State Labor Department, has been named single spokesman for the state in labor negotiations with state workers.

Gov. Rockefeller made the appointment Monday.

The governor's office said the new position, director of employment relations, would take the place of the three-man team

that previously had represented the state in collective bargaining. This team had consisted of the governor's secretary and legal counsel and the president of the Civil Service Commission.

Source of Rivers

DENVER (AP) — Six of the west's major rivers rise in Colorado—the Colorado, the Rio Grande, the Arkansas, the North and South Platte and the Republican.

Unusual Hobby

LYONS, Colo. (AP) — Ron Gregory has a hobby quite different from his regular job of piloting for Frontier Air Lines. He raises buffalo on his place east of Lyons.

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Montafia Ends Justice Course

Charles D. Montafia, Town Justice, Town of Esopus, was one of one hundred fifty-three trainees. (Including town justices, village justices and other persons interested in justice court work), in attendance at a judicial training program. The program was the seventh annual Fall Justice Training Program sponsored by the Judicial Conference and held at Albany Law School.

Classes covered such topics as: criminal and civil procedure; treatment of youthful offenders; elements of common crimes; the rules of evidence; vehicle and traffic law violations; and the procedure for their disposition.

In addition, advanced training in the field of evidence was offered to experienced justices. The trainees observed courtroom procedure demonstrations covering both criminal and civil trials. An actual radar demonstration was conducted to familiarize the trainees with the technical problems involved in radar cases. Cooperating state agencies counseled the trainees

to be observed in filing reports of convictions and fines, and fees collected by the justices. The instructors and lecturers were selected by the Judicial Conference and included law school professors, practicing attorneys active in justice court work, and experienced justices. In addition, Judge Montafia was one of 17 justices receiving a Certificate of Additional Training.

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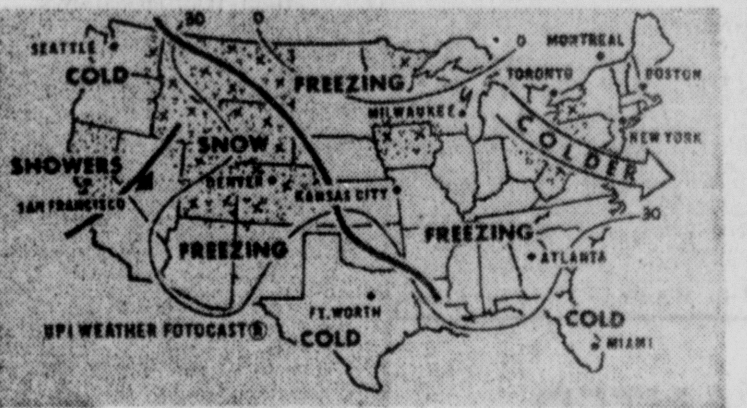
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Tonight snow and snow flurries are forecast for the Northern and Central Rockies, and the Eastern Lakes region. Showers will occur over Northern California. Fair to partly cloudy skies will prevail over the remainder of the nation. Colder weather is in store for the East Coast, while warmer temperatures are anticipated from the Central and Southern Rockies through the Central and Southern Plains. Minimum temperature forecasts include: Atlanta 27; Boston 20; Chicago 13; Cleveland 14; Denver 19; Duluth -10; Ft. Worth 35; Jacksonville 34; Little Rock 25; Los Angeles 49; Miami 53; New York 28; Phoenix 25; Seattle 40; San Francisco 45; St. Louis 18; and Washington 20, degrees.

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From the Management and Staff of Your **WALTER READE THEATRES**

Mayfair KINGSTON
338-1221
Duffy
Starring James Coburn James Mason James Fox Susannah York
Screenplay by Donald Cammell and Harry Joe Brown Jr.
Produced by Martin Manulis Directed by Robert Parrish
A Columbia Picture • A Martin Manulis Production Technicolor

STARTS TOMORROW
There are bad cops and there are good cops...and then there's Bullitt.
STEVE MCQUEEN AS 'BULLITT'
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COMMUNITY KINGSTON
331-6113
The Beatles "Yellow Submarine"
Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band
COLOR by DeLuxe Limited Artists

Dear Abby

Only if You Can Prove It

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN
(© 1968 by Chicago Tribune - N. Y. News Synd., Inc.)

DEAR ABBY: I am an employee in a store. I have been here a long time and have a lot of seniority. I am reasonably certain that my boss is having an affair with one of my co-workers. My boss' wife is a good woman who I am sure knows nothing about this, but it is fast becoming obvious to everybody in the store and I'm sure it is only a matter of time before his wife hears the talk.

I like this woman very much and hate to see her being made a fool of. Should I tell her about her husband before somebody else does? She likes me, and I could break it to her gently.

TRUSTED EMPLOYEE
DEAR TRUSTED: Tell the wife only if you're prepared to document your story with proof, and to testify in her behalf if she asks you to. And, of course, to find another job.

DEAR ABBY: I wish you would ask your readers to write to their congressmen and ask them to introduce a bill to force mothers who have children 18 years old and younger to stay home and take care of their children unless they absolutely have to go to work.

These working mothers who are out earning "money for extras" while their kids run the streets are a disgrace to the whole nation. Most of them have husbands to support them, but they're never satisfied. Thank you.

A STAY-AT-HOME MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: Some working mothers have better behaved children than the stay-at-home kind who are always gabbing with the neighbors, golfing, bridging, or amusing themselves in other ways. It's not the quantity—but the quality of the time a mother spends with her children that makes the difference.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 15-year-old boy with a big problem. My father, I made the football team again this year and I have a feeling my father won't see me play in one game. I made the team last year, too, and my father never saw me play once. I'm the only kid whose father has never seen him play.

My dad travels and he is out of town better than half the time, and he says he is doing it so he can afford to give his family lots of advantages, but Abby, honestly I wouldn't mind wearing clothes and shoes bought at the Salvation Army if my father would be home more. How can I let him know how I feel?

FATHERLESS FOOTBALL PLAYER

DEAR FATHERLESS: Fathers are not mind-readers. Tell yours exactly how you feel. Men who travel for a living are frequently able to arrange their schedules to be home for special events. Maybe if you talked this over with your mother she could convince your dad that his "presence" at home now is more important than his "presence" later. Good Luck.

CONFIDENTIAL TO "LIT-LOS Angeles, Cal., 90069 and envelope. FOR ABBY'S BOOKLET, "HOW TO HAVE A LOVELY WEDDING," SEND \$1.00 TO ABBY, BOX 69700, LOS ANGELES, CAL., 90069. (Hear Dear Abby Mon. thru Sat. at 10:30 a.m. WKNY-1490)

Everybody has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply write to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Cal., 90069.

Horoscope By SYDNEY OMARR It's In The Stars

("The wise man controls his destiny . . . astrology points the way.")

FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY, December 25, 1968

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Early, you may feel that certain restrictions spoil fun. Later, cycle is high; you gain spiritual strength. Study holiday symbolism. Meaningful relationship could develop.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Attend special service, celebration. Be part of group which exudes good will. Be generous, receptive. Give and accept. Don't force issues. Obtain hint from ARIES message.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Join friends. Throw off tendency toward brooding. Welcome new experience. Be creative in expressing feelings. Day features meeting with one who is unique, original.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You get feeling of acceptance. Warm to it. Realize your own worth. One you admire seeks exchange of ideas. Give, teach and share. Holiday spirit prevails—display appreciation for gifts.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Day is highlighted by completion of journey. One who has been away from you is again close. Fine for holiday reunion. Study cards, messages. Remember those who remembered you. Be giving.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Quiet discussion regarding costs, budget occurs during day. Best to stick to family circle. Warmth of familiarity is important. Gain in emotional sense shown if false pride is discarded.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Spirit of holiday could get out of hand tonight. Means what begins as quiet discussion could end in dispute. Avoid this; be moderate and receptive. Be considerate of loved one's desires.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Obtain hint from LIBRA message. Strive for family harmony. Celebration close to home base is advisable. Important to bring happiness to children. Forego personal convenience.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Tonight, pleasure gained through children. Enter into spirit of holiday. Earlier, a minor dispute at home threatens harmony. Wise to make concession—especially to older person.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You receive gift of value. More important, thought behind it is fine, constructive. Realize you have responsibility toward one who loves you. Make resolution to fulfill it. Then you feel good.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): If journey is necessary to close distance between loved one, make it. Be wary about driving with temperate persons. Key is moderation. Pleasure indicated tonight if you are receptive.

PISCES (Feb. 19-Mar. 20): Quiet discussion concerning costs, budget would be in order tonight. Earlier there is gain shown if you heed words of spiritual counsel. Fresh point of view is presented. Could aid your cause.

IF TODAY IS YOUR BIRTHDAY you emerge from a difficult period. Finances improve and so does emotional stability. GENERAL TENDENCIES: Cycle high for ARIES, TAURUS. Special word to SAGITTARIUS: be considerate of individual who confides problem.

(To find out who's lucky for you in money and love, order Sydney Omarr's booklet, "Secret Hints for Men and Women." Send birthdate and 50 cents to Omarr Astrology Secrets, The Kingston Daily Freeman, Box 3240, Grand Central Station, New York, N. Y. 10017.)

OFFICE CAT

A newspaper reporter covering the golden wedding anniversary celebration of two of the town's senior citizens eventually got around to asking the husband the inevitable question:

Mr. Lang (the reporter) I To what do you attribute your longevity and apparent good health?

Old Mr. Tate — When my wife and I first were married, we made a pact that would insure harmony. We decided that if we ever became involved in an argument I would leave the house and go for a walk to give us both time to cool down.

So, I guess I'd have to attribute my health and longevity to a vigorous outdoor life.

A professor was called upon frequently as a guest lecturer. Not wanting to neglect his own classes, he began recording his lectures on tape and arranged to have the tapes played at class sessions in appropriate rotation.

One day, returning early from a trip, he stopped in to see

how the system was working. He found his machine on a table in the center of the classroom faithfully delivering his lecture. It was surrounded by 20 chairs on each of which sat a tape recorder!

Judge Jones (as a married couple was presented to the court, — What's the charge? Sheriff Smith — This man is charged with beating his wife with an oak leaf.

Judge Jones — But why was he arrested for that? Sheriff Smith — He got the oak leaf out of the dining room table.

No woman can hypnotize a man beyond visual distance.

Did you hear the one about the gorgeous secretary who left her clothes at the office and took her boss to the cleaners?

Doting Mother — And what did Mamma's little dear learn at school today?

Eight-Year-Old — I learned Mamma's little boy.

THE BORN LOSER



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THE FLINTSTONES

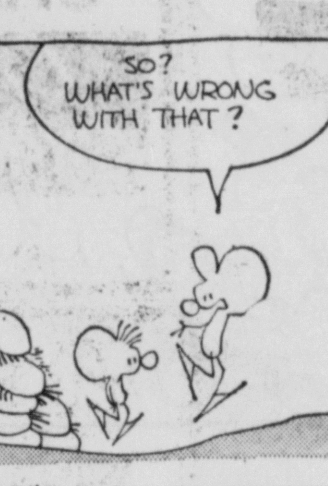
(Watch the Flintstones Every Weekend at 4 p.m. on Channel 6)

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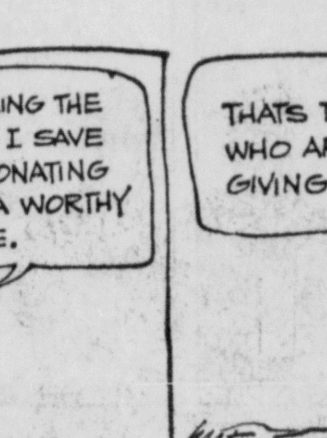
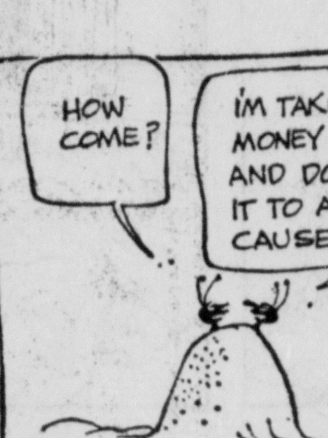
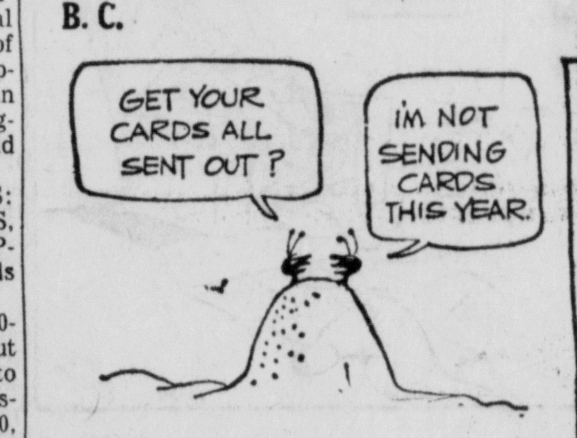
EEK & MEK

By HOWIE SCHNEIDER



B. C.

By JOHNNY HART



Walt Disney's True Life Adventures



Today's Word

By ROBERT FYNE and ERNEST PETERSAK



censure (SEN-sher) to blame or condemn The experienced senator, a man who had used some public funds unwisely, was censured for this act by a special committee. After listening to the student defend his rash behavior, the school principal decided there was no need to censure the boy for his actions. Even though the young man was declared innocent of the crime, most of his friends refused to accept this verdict and continued to censure him.

Local Radio Highlights

Tuesday

WBAZ

1550

Kingston's Big W News is now rounded out by the facilities of ABC's World Wide sources. Listen and be informed constantly by WBAZ's top news staff and by network correspondents. All the news, as it happens, presented by Big W. News.

WGHQ-AM

920

Tomorrow all day, fill your home with the sound of Christmas, performed by local and international singing ensembles.

WGHQ-FM

94.3

Tonight through tomorrow night hear the 30 Hours of Christmas.

WKNY

1490

7:35 p.m. Tonight hear Sound-Off over WKNY with your host, Jack Marquardt. Sound-Off is heard Monday thru Friday.

Wednesday

WBAZ

1550

8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Paul Harvey news. The top name in radio news commentary is heard daily on WBAZ. Don't miss this commentary. Agree with Paul Harvey or not, you don't want to ignore him. Paul Harvey News, twice daily on Kingston's Big W.

WGHQ-AM

920

7 and 8 a.m. TOMORROW — An in-depth report of Hudson Valley, New York State, and World News.

WGHQ-FM

94.3

8:05 p.m. TONIGHT—Music to break resolutions by with the folk sounds of the Weavers, the Clancy Brothers, and the Limelighters.

WKNY

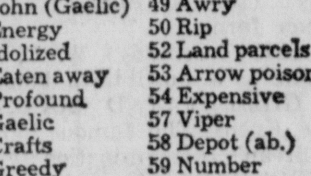
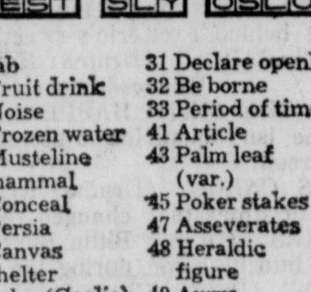
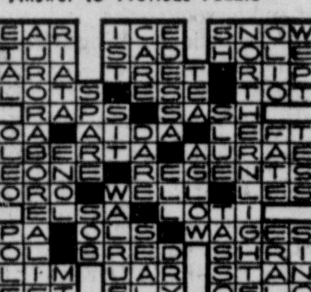
1490

10 a.m.-2 p.m. Jack Marquardt entertains the housewives with musical selections over WKNY.

Hodgepodge

ACROSS	37 East (Fr.)
1 Nocturnal flyer	38 Disenchantment
4 Television's forerunner	39 Haven room
9 Kind of tune	40 Nuisance
12 Hall	42 Dutch city
13 Authoritative proclamation	43 Indebted one
14 Anger	44 Possessed
15 Distress signal	46 Pigeon pea
16 Doctrine	48 Communion plate
17 Biblical land	51 Efficient
18 Abstract beings	55 Grow old
20 Occurrence	56 Undergo
22 Arab outer garment	60 Individual
24 Son of Gad (Bib.)	61 Meadow
25 College big wig	62 Natural fat
28 Indian timber tree	63 Beverage
30 Girl's name	64 Brythonic sea god
34 Stray	65 Bridges
35 Egg (comb. form)	66 Indian weight
36 Contend	

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE



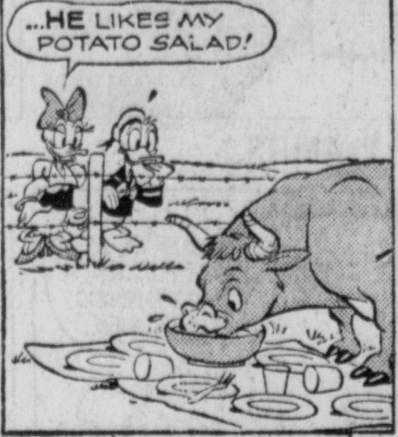
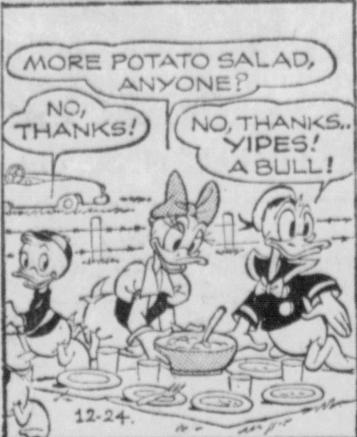
OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS

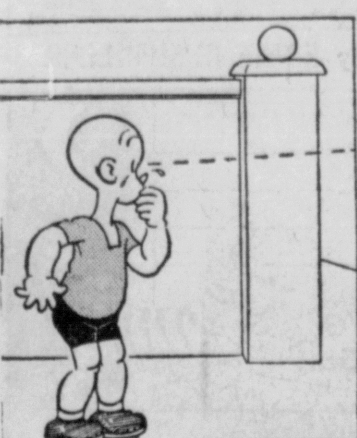


By WALT DISNEY

DONALD DUCK



HENRY



CAPTAIN EAST



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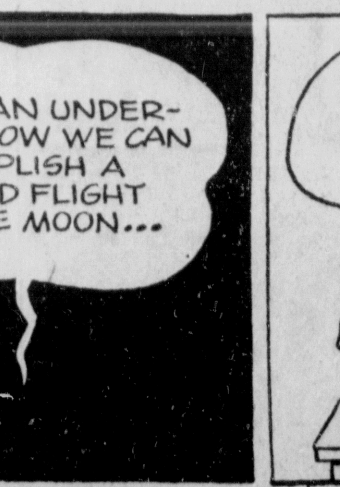
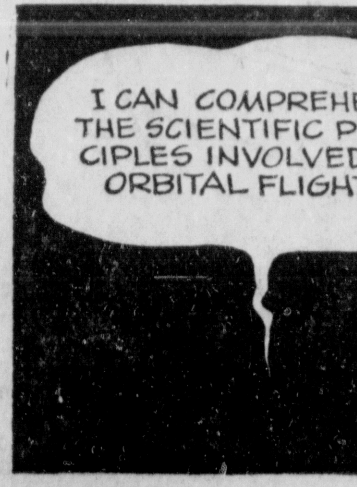
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THE WILLETS



By V. T. HAMLIN



By WALT WETTERBERG



★ ★ DAILY TV LISTINGS ★ ★

Tuesday Afternoon		Merry Griffin Show (C)		Farm Reports		Mormon Choir Christmas Special (W) (C)	
5:00	(5) The Flintstones (C)	(7) (13) It Takes a Thief	(7) (13) Give Us This Day	6:25	(2) (10) Sunrise Semester (C)	(10) Dialing for Dollars	(11) Underdog (C)
5:15	(11) The Munsters	(4) Tuesday Night at the Movies, "The Smugglers" Shirley Booth	(2) Love That Bob (W) (R)	6:30	(2) Education Exchange	(13) Romper Room (C)	9:30 (2) The Donna Reed Show
5:30	(17) The Friendly Giant	(6) Tuesday Night at the Movies, "A Living Christmas Card" (C)	(4) News (C)	6:50	(7) News (C)	(4) Joan Rivers Show	(6) The RPI Voice of Christmas (W) (C)
	(11) F Troop (C)	(11) News (C)	(17) Een Chronicle	7:00	(2) WCBSTV News	(11) The Jack LaLanne Exercise Show (C)	(13) One Life to Live (C)
	(13) First Edition News (C)	(17) Elen Chronicle	(7) (13) N.Y.P.D. (C)		(4) (6) Today - Hugh Downs host (C)		
6:00	(2) WCBSTV News Evening Report with Jim Jensen (C)	(11) Yule Log Christmas Greeting (C)	(10) (2) The Doris Day Show (C)		(5) Inside Bedford Stuyvesant		
	(5) McHale's Navy	(10) (2) 60 Minutes (C)	(7) (13) N.Y.P.D. (C)		(7) Cartoons (C)		
	(6) The 6:00 Report (C)	(5) 10 O'Clock News	(11) Yule Log Christmas Greeting (C)		(13) Popeye and the Three Stooges		
	(7) Road to the Moon; Apollo 8 (C)	(7) That's Life (C)	(10) (2) 60 Minutes (C)		(13) Social Section in America (M) Farm Fare (T) Herald of Truth (W) Faith For Today (TH) Ski Guide (F)		
	(11) Batman (C)	(13) Suspense Theatre	(13) That's Life (C)				
	(13) ABC Evening News (C)	(17) A Beer's Family Christmas Special	(10) (2) WCBSTV News Late Report (C)				
6:25	(17) A Christmas Carol		(5) Movie Special, "Holiday Inn" Bing Crosby				
6:30	(4) The Huntley-Brinkley Report		(6) Total Information News (C)				
	(7) Local News		(7) News-Bill Beutel				
	(10) Evening News		(10) Nightbeat with Ted Baughn (C)				
	(11) Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea		(13) Eleven PM Report (C)				
	(13) Merv Griffin Show		(12) Religion, Space, and Christmas (C)				
	(17) Report to the Physician		(13) The Christmas Story-Carol Orff's Musical				
	(5) CBS Evening News with Walter Cronkite (C)		(4) (6) Christmas Special-Mormon Tabernacle Choir (C)				
	(5) I Love Lucy		(7) Joey Bishop Show (C)				
	(6) I Love Lucy		(10) Christmas Cantata				
	(17) Mahalia Jackson		(13) Contemporary Christmas-Claus or Christ Service (C)				
7:30	(2) (10) Lancer (C)		(4) Christmas Eve Mid-night Mass (C)				
	(4) (6) The World of Christmas (C)		(13) Christmas Eve Mid-night Mass (C)				
	(5) Truth or Consequences (C)		(1) American West				
	(7) (13) Christ is Born		(11) Late News Final				
	(11) Rat Patrol (C)						
	(17) French Chef						
8:00	(5) Pay Cards (C)						
	(11) Run for Your Life						
	(17) Firing Line with William F. Buckley Jr.						
8:30	(2) (10) The Red Skelton Hour (C)						
	(4) (6) Julia (C)						

Cynthia Lowry

A Pre-Yule NBC News Gift

NEW YORK (AP) — Confronted by an especially large supply of good news which fortunately was accompanied by good pictures, NBC expanded its regular half-hour Huntley-Brinkley show Monday night to a full hour.

It was a bit like an early Christmas present. There was ample time in which to replay the excellent television pictures of the earth taken earlier by the Apollo 8 travelers from a point 180,000 nautical miles distant and to show at length satellite-relayed film of the release of the Pueblo crew and hear the tight-lipped, grim report of the captain about treatment of the 82 Navy men.

NBC news again cut into regular programming between the end of "Laugh-in" and the beginning of its feature movie to show the earth pictures again.

And, since Apollo 8 has been pulled into the moon's orbit, the network decided to provide all-night coverage of the story after the "Tonight Show" went off the air.

Blazing, Brilliant

The black and white pictures of our earth were clear and made our planet look blazing and brilliant. One wished they could have been shot in color upon hearing the astronauts' description of the blue oceans, light brown land masses, the snowy polar caps and white cloud cover.

The sight of the men from the Pueblo was a moving one. One man returned in a flag-wrapped basket, but the others walked rather slowly across a bridge in the Korean demilitarized zone. One man limped and all showed the strain and emotion born of their experience. One or two managed warm smiles when an Army band started to play "Anchors Aweigh."

Commander Lloyd M. Bucher, skipper of the ship, looked thin and angry as he described the mistreatment he and his crew had suffered in North Korean hands.

During the remainder of the evening, network television went its usual meandering way. There was only one really jarring note—the appearance of Tiny Tim, the long-haired ukelele player, on "Laugh-in." It may be a thoroughly Victorian reaction, but the ribbing reception of that unusual performer by the entire "Laugh-in" cast, singing "God Bless You, Tiny Tim" seemed in poor taste at this particular time of year. It must be added, however, that the program itself was not one of those warm, jolly Christmas celebrations.

Also Rerun Night

CBS apparently decided that it was a good preholiday night with so many people preoccupied by last-minute shopping and gift-wrapping to slip in a couple of reruns—"Here's Lucy" with a rebroadcast of the first show of its current season, and "The Carol Burnett Show" with the program in which Carol Channing guest-starred.

CBS jumped back into the lead in the ratings race, according to a new Nielsen survey, with three of its situation comedies in win, place and show positions on the top 10 list. They were "Gomer Pyle," "Here's Lucy" and "Mayberry, R.F.D." It was, incidentally, a week—Dec. 9-15—when NBC's top-rated "Laugh-in" was preempted by a special. Other top-ranked prime-time programs were NBC's "Dean Martin Show," and "TCB," the Supremes, special, CBS's "Family Affair," "Red Skelton Show" and "Gunsmoke"; NBC's "Julia" and "Bonanza."

CBS's average rating was 20.3, followed by NBC with 19.6 and ABC, 15.6.

Lone special on tonight's docket is NBC's "World of Christmas," 7:30-8:30 EST—with Victor Borge and children from all over the world showing how the holiday is celebrated.

And a Merry Christmas to all of you.

Hand Worthy of Slam Bid

By Oswald and James Jacoby

NORTH (D)		WEST		EAST	
3	24	K74	108	K108	108
AJ974		Q86	532	Q532	532
AKJ2		9854	10763	10763	10763
762		KJ4	Q983	Q983	Q983
SOUTH		Both vulnerable		West	
AQJ9652		West	North	East	South
K10		1♥	Pass	2♠	Pass
Q		2♥	Pass	3♠	Pass
A105		3♥	Pass	3NT	Pass
		Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead—4♠

North can make seven hearts if he plays the hand in this suit. All he must do is to take the right view of the spade suit after picking up West's queen or hearts.

Needless to say not one of the pairs in the U. S. Team Trials landed in hearts. Instead, every South declarer played the hand in spades. Three arrived at six, two stopped below the slam.

The hand also illustrates the luck of International Match Point duplicate. The slam is a good one but not outstanding. It should be bid and the odds are that declarer will make it but it is not in the lay down category.

Those who bid it gained and their unfortunate opponents lost. Those who did not have the slam bid against them gained without doing anything to justify the gain.

Looking at all the cards you can see that declarer will have no trouble with the contract. He wins the first club, plays three rounds of diamonds in order to get rid of his club losers, then goes after trumps. He can play ace and queen or finesse. Either way he winds up losing one trump trick and nothing else.

There was quite an esoteric discussion at the tournament as to which line of play was superior. The ace play is the winner if West holds a singleton king, the finesse is a winner if East started with exactly five diamonds and king and a low trump.

Against that combination East would be able to promote his partner's 10 to a trick by leading a fourth diamond.

Without going into full mathematics, we can state that the play of the ace is about two per cent better than the finesse.

TV Movie High-Lites

Tuesday		Wednesday	
4:30 p.m. Ch. 4	"THE MAGNIFICENT YANKEE" (Biography) Louis Calhern—The personal and public life of Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes comes to the screen.	7:00 a.m. Ch. 2	"THE INN OF THE SIXTH HAPPINESS" (Drama) Ingrid Bergman—Part 2—Told that she isn't qualified to become a missionary, a girl decides to go to China by herself.
4:30 p.m. Ch. 7	"THE STORY OF RUTH" (Color-Drama) Elana Eden—Ruth served a god who demands human sacrifices—until she meets a man who believes in a merciful God.	9:00 a.m. Ch. 2	"A CHRISTMAS CAROL" (Drama) Reginald Owen—Charles Dickens' classic about the Christmas that changed the life of miser Ebenezer Scrooge.
9:00 p.m. Ch. 4	"THE SMUGGLERS" (Color-Drama) Shirley Booth—The plot, laced with Chicanery, smuggling and murder, follows an unwitting American tourist and her stepdaughter from the Austrian Tyrol to Italy.	10:00 a.m. Ch. 11	"THE CHEATERS" (Drama) Billie Burke—A selfish family decides to take a hungry actor into its home during the Christmas season.
9:30 p.m. Ch. 9	"THE MAN IN THE WHITE SUIT" (Comedy) Alex Guinness—About an eccentric scientist who rocks the British textile industry.	12:00 p.m. Ch. 5	"HOLIDAY INN" (Drama) Bing Crosby—War-time film about a song-and-dance man turned farmer.
11:00 p.m. Ch. 5	"HOLIDAY INN" (Musical) Bing Crosby—War-time film about a song-and-dance man turned farmer.	12:30 p.m. Ch. 9	"THE BANK DICK" (Comedy) W. C. Fields—W. C. Fields' classic casts the bibulous comic as a small-town bank guard.
11:00 p.m. Ch. 9	"FRIENDLY PERSUASION" (Color-Drama) Gary Cooper—Portrait of a Quaker family living in Indiana during the Civil War.	3:30 p.m. Ch. 9	"THE GREAT GILBERT AND SULLIVAN" (Musical-Biography) Robert Morley, Maurice Evans—The famous light opera team of Gilbert and Sullivan argue over Sullivan's determination to compose serious music.
1:00 a.m. Ch. 7	"WHISTLE DOWN THE WIND" (Drama) Hayley Mills — A 14-year-old girl befriends a murderer—whom she believes to be Jesus Christ.	4:30 p.m. Ch. 4	"PRINCESS O'Rourke" (Comedy) Robert Cummings—Bored and unhappy in her luxurious New York suite, an exiled princess look for a change of scenery.
1:05 a.m. Ch. 2	"A CHRISTMAS CAROL" (Drama) Kathleen Harrison — Charles Dickens' classic about Ebenezer Scrooge, the meanest miser in London, and the ghosts that visited him one Christmas Eve.	11:30 p.m. Ch. 2	"IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE" (Drama) James Stewart—At 30 a small-town citizen feels that he has reached the end of his rope and contemplates suicide.
1:45 a.m. Ch. 4	"A SONG TO REMEMBER" (Drama) Cornel Wilde—The famous composer Frederic Chopin, and his music master, Joseph Elsner, are forced to flee Poland, leaving behind Frederic's sweetheart.	11:30 p.m. Ch. 9	"THE FABULOUS BARON MUNCHAUSEN" (Color-Fantasy) After an astronaut meets the legendary Baron Munchausen on the moon, they return to the earth together.
2:45 a.m. Ch. 2	"A CHRISTMAS CAROL" (Drama) Kathleen Harrison—See 1:05 for details.	11:30 p.m. Ch. 10	"COME TO THE STABLE" Loretta Young—Gentle, but dauntless, two Roman Catholic nuns procure land and resources of a children's hospital.
8:00 a.m. Ch. 7	"THE INN OF THE SIXTH HAPPINESS" (Drama) Ingrid Bergman—Part 2—Told that she isn't qualified to become a missionary, a girl decides to go to China by herself.	11:30 p.m. Ch. 11	"MIRACLE ON 34TH STREET" (Comedy) John Payne — A department store Santa announces that he's the genuine Saint Nick.
9:00 a.m. Ch. 2	"A CHRISTMAS CAROL" (Drama) Reginald Owen—Charles Dickens' classic about the Christmas that changed the life of miser Ebenezer Scrooge.	1:00 a.m. Ch. 7	"BELLE OF THE YUKON" (Adventure) Gypsy Rose Lee—A reformed confidence man opens a Yukon gambling house.
10:00 a.m. Ch. 11	"THE CHEATERS" (Drama) Billie Burke—A selfish family decides to take a hungry actor into its home during the Christmas season.	1:15 a.m. Ch. 4	"THE PROUD STALLION" (Drama) Jorga Kotroba—A 13-year-old girl attempts to save a stallion which has been marked for death.
12:00 p.m. Ch. 5	"HOLIDAY INN" (Drama) Bing Crosby—War-time film about a song-and-dance man turned farmer.	1:40 a.m. Ch. 2	"KATHY O" (Drama-Color) Dan Duryea—A temperamental child star befriends a lonely Hollywood columnist.
12:30 p.m. Ch. 9	"THE BANK DICK" (Comedy) W. C. Fields—W. C. Fields' classic casts the bibulous comic as a small-town bank guard.	3:40 a.m. Ch. 2	"SO BIG" (Drama) Jane Wyman—The life of a dedicated mother, from the age of 18 to middle age.
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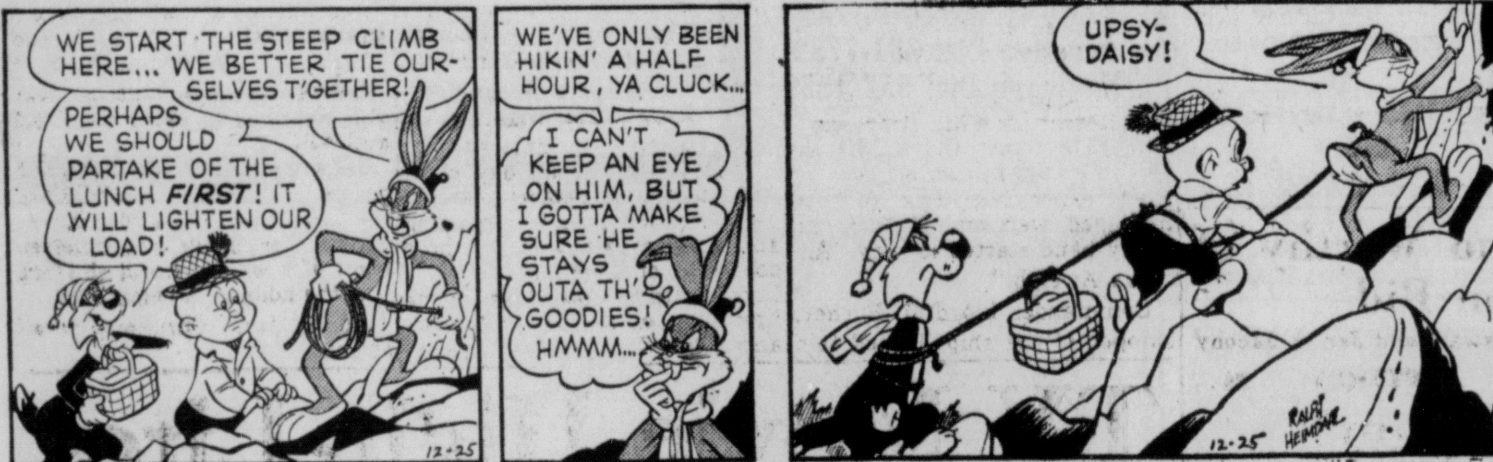
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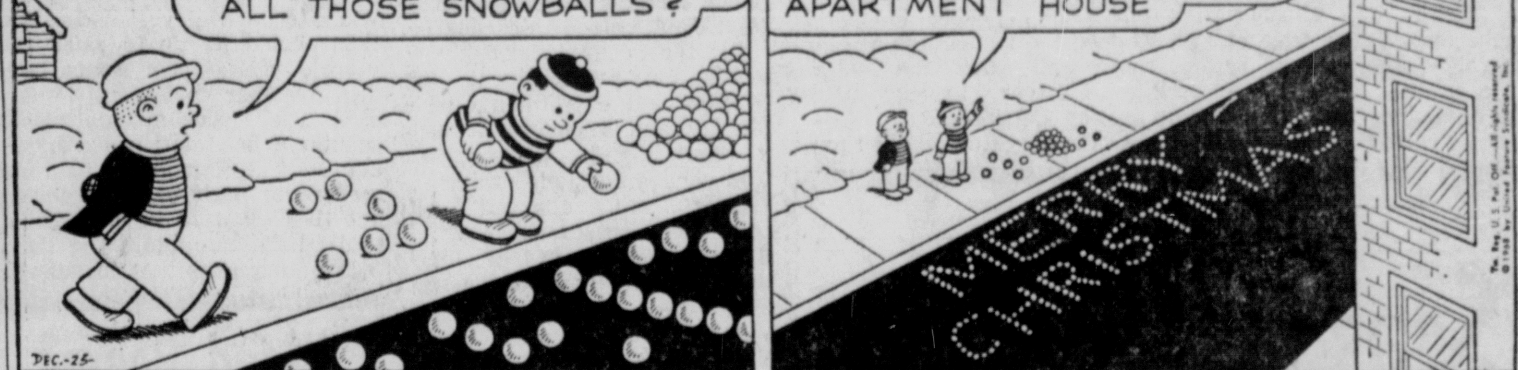


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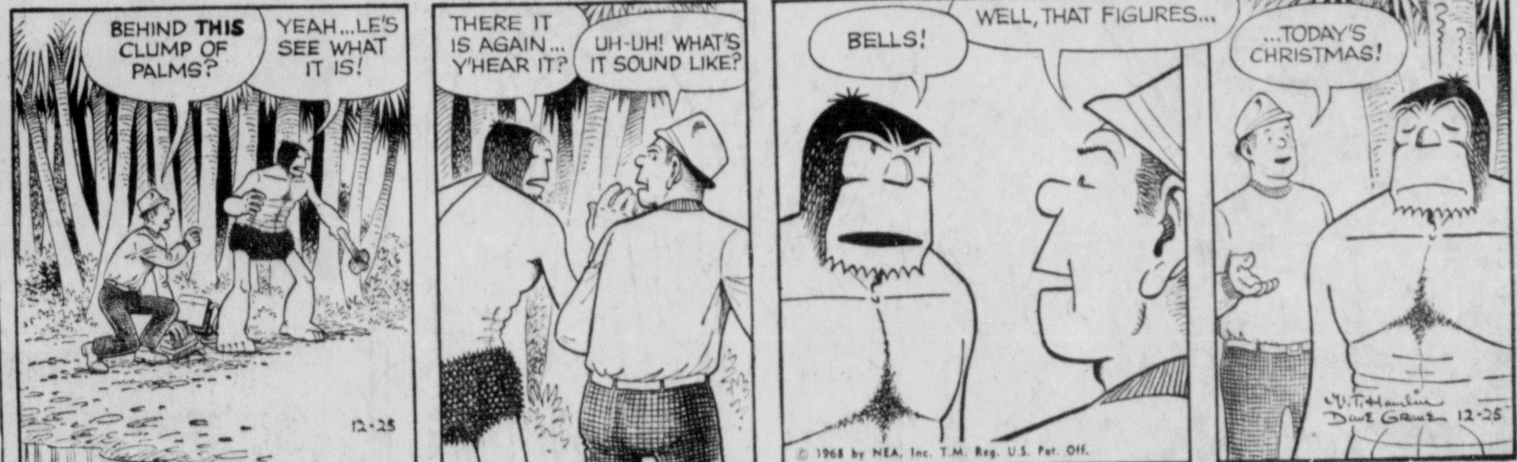
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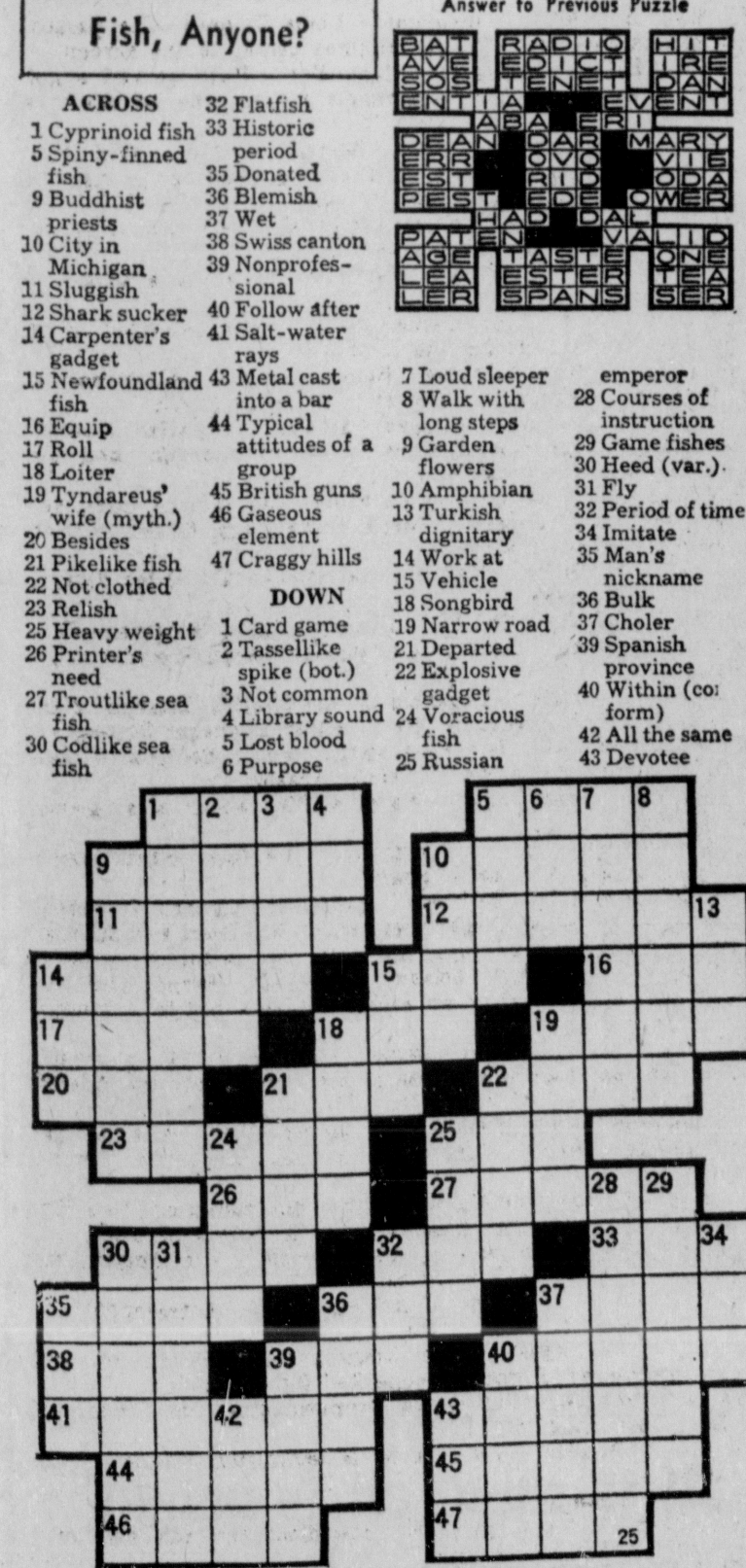


By WALT WETTERBERG

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Quick Quiz

Q—What element is used as a standard to give atomic weights to all the other elements?
A—Carbon-12 was adopted in 1961, replacing oxygen.

Q—Into how many official languages are U.N. proceedings translated?
A—Five—Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish.



LIVING NATIVITY—Children are shown at the Old Dutch Church's living nativity scene. The scene wasn't so peaceful for their ancestors in Revolutionary times. Details are in the accompanying story by Freeman staffer Jean F. Dolan. (Freeman photo by Haines.)

'Twas a Grim Christmas in 1777

By JEAN F. DOLAN

'Twas the night before Christmas and all through the town not a house was standing intact.

War-torn Kingston, put to the British torch a scant three months before was just beginning to come alive again. Its residents huddled in blanket-hung lean-tos within the gutted stone walls of once fine homes. Families struggled for food in the wake of flames which consumed bountiful autumn harvest as part of the wages of war.

The year was 1777 and bleak indeed were the prospects of the Wiltwyck burghers as the Christmas season brought not holiday joys but crunchy snows to penetrate the poor cover hastily erected by the Kingstonians returning from haven in Hurley. The houses, the church and the harvest filled barns all went up in flames as General Vaughan attacked the first capital of New York State in October of that war year.

Now it was Christmas, a holiday dear to the hearts of the fun-loving and religious Dutch settlers. The focal point of the community was the church—as purveyor of news, counselor to the needy and gathering place of the social as well as the religious nerve center of the deeply devout Netherlanders who settled on this far shore.

Young Church Then

When the flames touched the settlement, then the third largest in the fledgling state, they did not spare Old Dutch Church which was relatively young in those days. The building was gutted, the belfry downed and most important of the fine bell cracked beyond repair in the midst of the rubble.

Dominie Doll, pastor of that early beleaguered flock, was as "sore afraid" as the angels of old this Christmas Eve in the war torn impoverished city.

What could he do to raise the morale of the poor souls huddled in their make shift quarters. They were attempting to rebuild a brief but proud heritage with the frontier stamina associated with early America but there had to be something to draw the community together.

The story goes that in answer to the good Dominie's prayers as he trod the snowy streets of Kingston that starlit night, a fisherman from the river landing appeared offering a ship's

Once in the Old Stockade area the precious bell was installed in the gutted skeleton of a church tower and Christmas began as it tolled the time of the Savior's Birth, for all the shivering survivors of the British holocaust.

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bell for the church. In due course the bell was brought from the slip—surely a treacherous and tedious trip in those days when the Broadway hill was a steep wilderness incline.

But by today, said Edward Heeg, executive vice president of the New York Oil Heating Association, most buildings without heat would receive fuel deliveries.

There were 11,204 tenant complaints and 1,406 landlord complaints of no heat received by the Health Department between noon Friday and noon Monday.

The strike ended Sunday with ratification of a new contract for Teamster deliverers.

City's Flu Vaccine Supply Expected to Run Dry Today

NEW YORK (AP) — The city's supply of flu vaccine was expected to run dry today, the Health Department has warned, with no more due here until next week.

Meanwhile, the city's death rate has shown a marked increase, with 2,341 deaths last week, 434 more than normal, according to a Health Department spokesman. He said the increase was at least partially due to the flu epidemic.

The high-risk group are those persons over 65 and those with chronic ailments. They have been given flu vaccination prior.

Health Commissioner Dr. Edward O'Rourke urged normally healthy persons not to try to obtain the vaccine, now in short supply.

He said Monday that another 40,000 doses are expected to reach here by Jan. 2.

The flu epidemic itself is expected to "run its course in the next few weeks," he said.

The just-ended fuel deliverers' strike made things especially tough for those down with the flu and its accompanying chills, as they rested in unheated homes.

out church determined to renew its being with their presence.

Christmas Eve took on a new meaning—or maybe it was the old meaning as these humble folk went into the sorry building bearing their brands on high. Amid the charred ruins, they held their service of thanks and adoration, the stars shining through the empty window lights. The torches of the burghers combined with the mid-winter night time brilliance to make the service a scene more brilliant because of all the factors which brought it into reality.

There is an apocryphal ring to

the tale which has been passed down through the years since 1777. The fisherman, the presence of light and the Job-like faith in the face of adversity al. have a Biblical parallel. The difference is it happened here. And once hearing the tale can you ever walk down a street in Old Stockade Kingston without envisioning that Christmas Eve.

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5 Area Drug Arrests

By WALTER S. CLARK

TOWN OF OLIVE — Three young men and a girl were taken into custody Monday afternoon by an alert State Trooper from the Kingston substation, who reportedly found a quantity of marijuana in the car in which the four were riding along Route 28 in the Town of Olive.

Troopers booked the defendants on charges of criminal possession of a dangerous drug in the fourth degree, misdemeanors.

Booked were Michael Bellows, 20, and Vicky Bellows, 19, and Carl Craft, 22, all of High Mount, and Wayne Caswell, 23, who told authorities he resides in the Bronx.

Arraigned before Olive Town Justice Frank C. Carle, the four

entered pleas of innocent and hearings were adjourned until Friday, Dec. 27 at 7:30 p. m. Bail was fixed for each of the four defendants at \$500. Caswell was committed to the county jail in lieu of bail pending disposition of the charges pending against him.

Bellows, Craft and the girl posted bail and were released from custody until the hearing.

According to authorities, Trooper Charles Killelea was on patrol on Route 28 in the Town of Olive at 1:45 p. m. yesterday when he saw a car with four young people in it. He stopped the vehicle for a routine check and asked the operator for his driver's license and registration certificate.

As the operator reached to get

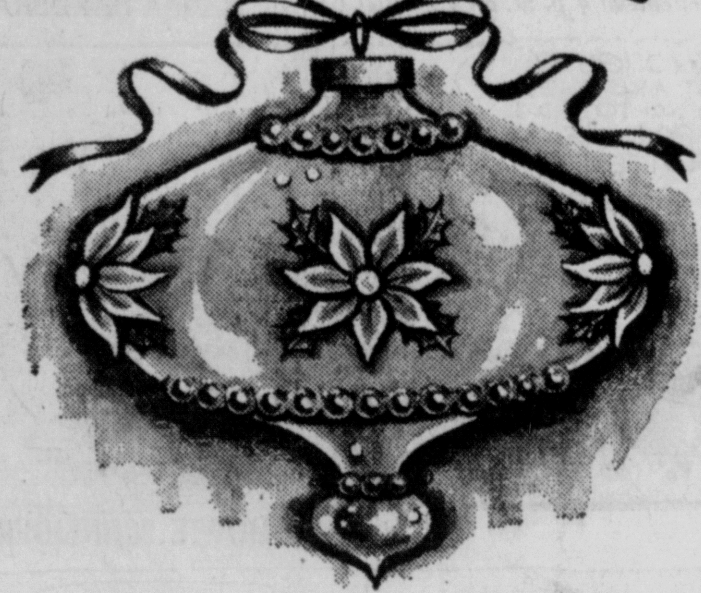
the papers, Trooper Killelea spotted a bottle containing marijuana. The trooper notified Bureau of Criminal Investigation officers, who questioned the accused and later the four were booked on the drugs charges.

Ellenville police went to the home of Roberto R. Ortiz, 32, at 27 Maple Avenue in that village Monday night to investigate a complaint the man had allegedly assaulted a woman. Ortiz was taken to police headquarters and booked for assault in the third degree.

In the course of the investigation by Sergeant John Phillips and Patrolmen Charles Slutsky and Theodore Johnson, a small quantity of marijuana was uncovered, police said.

Ortiz was charged with criminal possession of a dangerous drug in the fourth degree in addition to the assault charge. Arraigned before Village Police Justice Ronald Elias, a plea of innocent was entered and bail was fixed at \$500. The hearing was adjourned until Jan. 7, 1969 at 7 p.m.

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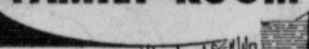
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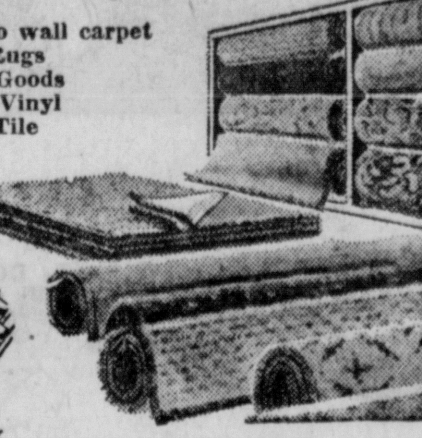
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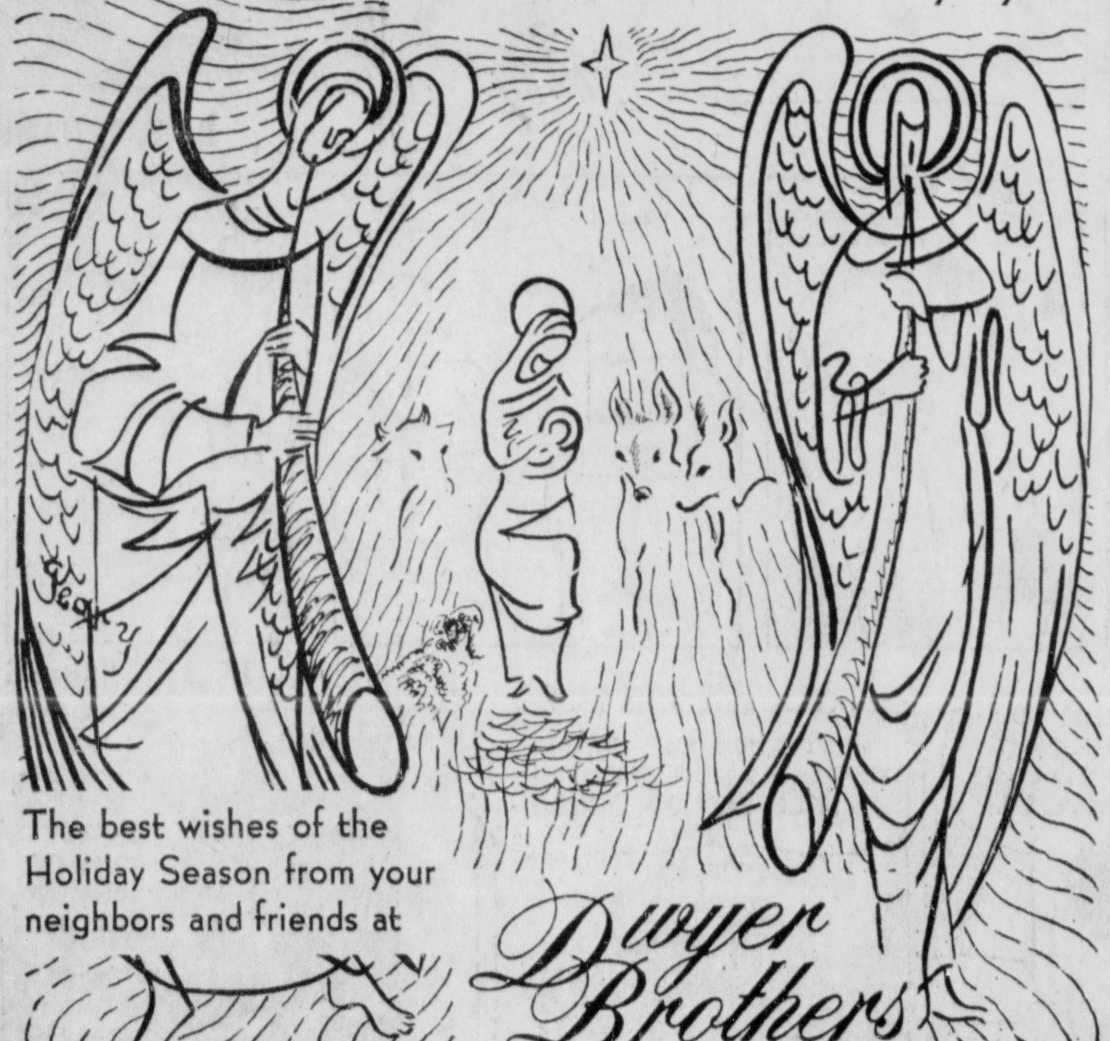
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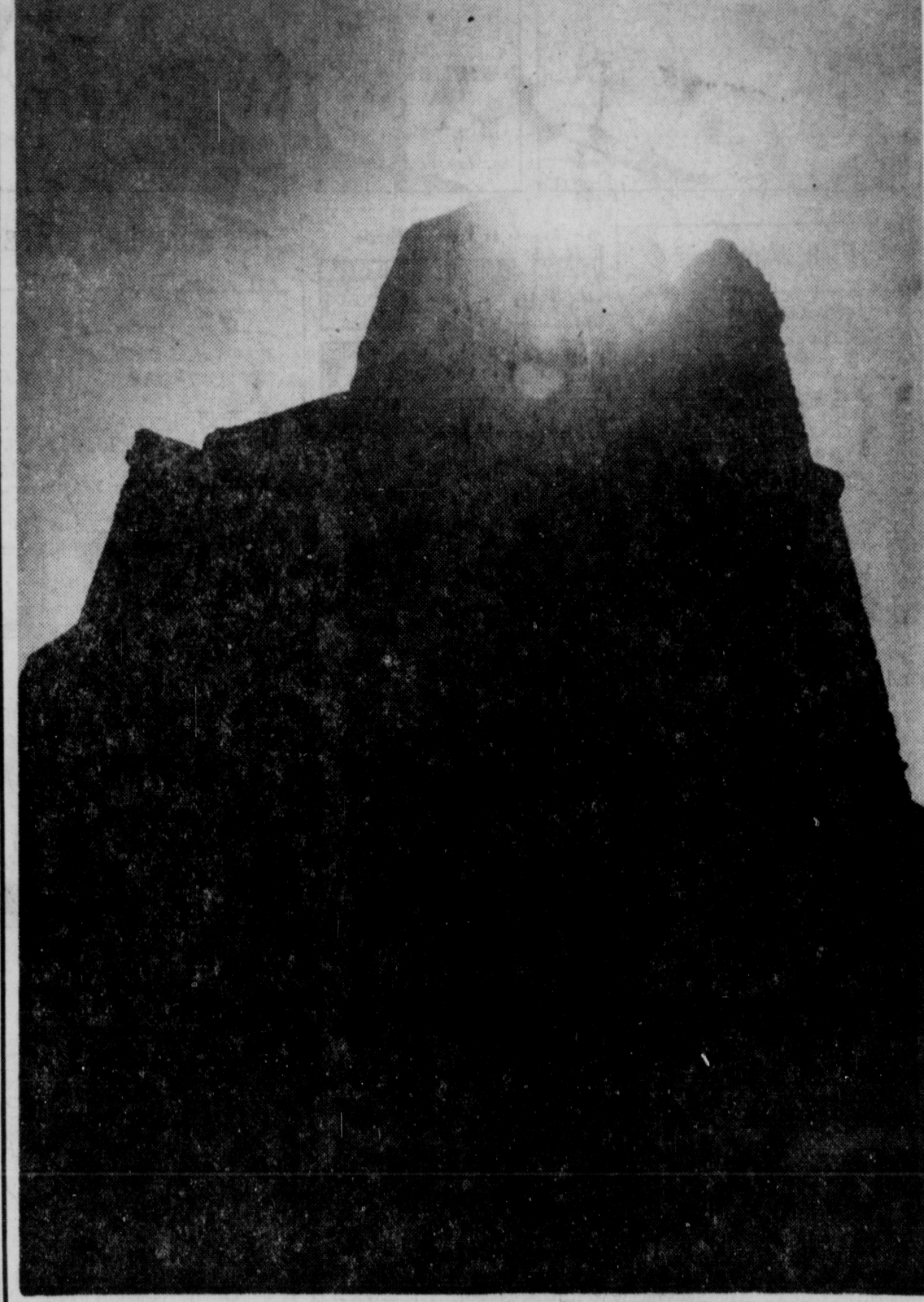


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